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IN BRIEF.

The City—Pages 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12.

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Yesterday's returns swell Republican figures in the State—A Senatorial contest develops....Mrs. Martin's sanity to be investigated....An old citizen dies suddenly in a Sacramento cigar-store....Examination of a Portuguese boy who killed his stepfather....Railroad agent at Diamond Springs held up....Charles St Louis put in jail because he wanted to marry....Yesterday's racing at Ingleside....Certain portions of the confession of Roe, alias Moore, the Greenwood murderer, to go before the jury....Second Physician Bowles removed from office at Napa Asylum....The Eck racing combination to be invited to San Francisco's new velodrome track.

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## THE BIG HORN.

It Gives a Small Toot  
for McKinley.

Seven Precincts Republican by  
Tweaty-two Plurality.

Wyoming, However, is Probably  
Lost to Bryan.

Mark Hanna Gets Some Queer Letters—The Non-Partisan Currency  
Commission Resolution to Be  
Presented—Secretary Difendorfer.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE:

DENVER, Nov. 13.—A special to the News from Cheyenne, Wyo., says that the Democratic State Central Committee

tonight received advices from Red Lodge, Mont., that seven precincts in Big Horn county, Wyo., gave Bryan 112; McKinley, 134; Osborne, 122; Mondell, 134; Corn, 122; Grosbeck, 103.

It is not known whether or not this includes the five precincts heard from previously, consequently the situation as to the accurate vote of Big Horn county is as much in the dark as ever. The majorities in the State, as near as can be estimated, are as follows: Martin and Queagay, Democratic electors, 400; Van Meter, Populist elector, 225; Osborne, Fusion, for Congress, 425. A TALK WITH HANNA.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 13.—"I have had all the glory I want out of this campaign and I am satisfied," said Mark A. Hanna today, while he was busily engaged in going through an enormous accumulation of correspondence. The remark was called forth by a letter which the national chairman found in his desk, and the writer of which eulogized Hanna as the only man for the Secretary of the Treasury, he said.

Concerning the national Republican headquarters, Mr. Hanna said: "The Chicago headquarters will be closed early next week and Maj. Dick will come back here. The New York headquarters will probably keep open until we decide about the permanent national headquarters."

"Where will they be located?" he was asked.

"I am in favor of Washington, myself.

Everything will be centered there, but wherever they are you can depend upon it that active work will be kept up."

NON-PARTISAN CURRENCY COMMISSION.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—During the last session of Congress, Representative Hartcock of Minnesota introduced a resolution providing for a non-partisan currency committee. By its terms the President should appoint nine citizens, eminent in trade, political economy and banking, to act with the Comptroller of the Currency as a commission of inquiry, and offer recommendations for needed changes in our present inadequate banking and currency system, and to report its recommendations to Congress. This resolution it is said, may be pressed during the coming session of Congress, especially in view of the fact that considerable discussion has been engendered as to the currency legislation in the next Congress.

It is known that the Banking and Currency Committee of the House, to whom the Heatwole resolution was referred, is likely to insist upon it, because the committee believes itself as competent to evolve a satisfactory currency scheme. As nothing was accomplished in the last session, it is now possible that a currency commission may be looked upon with favor, especially as the prospect of definite financial legislation is somewhat remote.

A CLOSE RUN.

FRANKFORT (Ky.), Nov. 13.—The official counting of the vote shows that Cashford, elector on the ticket for McKinley and Hobart, has 215,054; Smith, highest of Bryan and Sewall electors, 217,796. Smith defeats the lowest McKinley elector, McKinley's plurality, 2,748, taking the two highest votes.

A REPUBLICAN WORKER DEAD.

NEWARK (N. J.) Nov. 13.—John Y. Foster, secretary of the Republican State Committee, died today of pneumonia.

ALL VOTES SHALL COUNT.

WILMINGTON (Del.) Nov. 13.—Gov. Watson has issued a proclamation declar ing that all votes cast for James G. Shaw and James G. Shaw, Sr., for Presidential electors, shall count for the several ballots in the two ways. This will send three McKinley electors from Delaware to the electoral college.

THE SILVER PARTY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—Secretary Difendorfer said today: "The National Silver party will maintain permanent headquarters at Washington, with a branch in Chicago. Five thousand silver clubs belonging to the silver party are required to make their organization a success."

The Silver party will be the party of 1900.

Its platform is a single-money plank, and it will more readily unite all friends of bimetallism than will any other party.

During the campaign of 1896 we sent out 10,000,000 pieces of literature and organized five thousand clubs. Our future work will consist of organizing clubs and educating the people."

HITT A CANDIDATE.

GALENA (Ill.) Nov. 13.—Congressman Hitt authorized the use of his name as a candidate for United States Senator.

FULL RETURNS FROM KANSAS.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—Returns from all the counties of the State

show Bryan received 11,974 plurality.

THAT SETTLES IT.

RALEIGH (N. C.) Nov. 13.—The statement that Thomas Settle, Banbury,

candidate for reelection in the Fifth Congressional District, would contest the election of William P. Kitchen (Dem.) is denied by Settle. Kitchen's official majority is 40.

THE GEORGIA CONTEST.

The caucus met at 3 o'clock. The first ballot resulted: Clay, 81; Howell, 54; Lewis, 18; Girard, 11.

Gov. Atkinson this afternoon announced his retirement from the Senatorial race. This leaves the contest between Clay and Howell now, unless a dark horse is introduced. It is expected that Atkinson's strength will be thrown to Clay, and that the caucus will then reach a nomination.

The thirtieth ballot resulted: Clay, 77; Howell, 56; Lewis, 25; Gerald, 4; Bernet, 1. The caucus then, by a vote of 80 to 81, adjourned until Monday.

PLATE-GLASS WORKS.

ALEXANDRIA (Md.) Nov. 13.—The American Plate Glass Works started up this morning, giving employment to 400 men.

WAGES WILL GO UP.

WILKESEBARRE (Pa.) Nov. 13.—Notes were posted at the Wilkesbarre Shirk Mill today that the 15 per cent. reduction in wages made last August would be restored on the 15th inst. Four hundred hands are affected.

A PECCULAR SITUATION.

Doubt Whether There Will be an Extra Session in Kentucky.

(By ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE)

CINCINNATI, Nov. 13.—Specials from Frankfort, Ky., are full of speculation on the peculiar political situation in that State. The small plurality for McKinley raised from 257 to 258 by the discovery of an error of one in favor of Bryan is somewhat disappointing.

Some leading Republicans now oppose the calling of an extra session of the Legislature for various reasons.

A number of candidates for Senatorial honors are looming up. Among them on the Republican side are Dr. Jonathan Judge, Gov. Bradley, Ohio; Senator Democratic side, Dr. John Blackburn; Senator McCreary, with the Clan-na-Gael; Congressman McCreary, with W. C. P. Breckinridge as a possibility.

Breckinridge had a protracted private conference with Gov. Bradley today. It is conjectured that it refers to the official meeting to be made with the returning board tomorrow. The doubt as to whether Gov. Bradley will call an extra session of the Legislature is growing.

COAST POLITICS.

CANVASS OF THE ELECTION RESULTS IN SACRAMENTO COUNTY.

(By ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE)

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 13.—The Board of Supervisors this afternoon completed the canvassing of the returns of the late election in Sacramento county. The results were as follows:

For Congress: D. Vries (fusion), 407; Johnson (Rep.), 526; Coulter (Pro. 112).

For State Senator—Aubert—(Pro. 42); Smith

(COAST RECORDS)

**TO SAVE HIS MOTHER****JOE SOUSA KILLED HIS BRUTAL STEPFATHER.****Preliminary Examination of the Boy at Red Bluff Proves Only One Contradictory Point.****NUNEZ WAS STRUCK BY A BALL.****THE PRISONER SAID HIS GUN WAS LOADED WITH SHOT.****Mrs. Martin's Mind to Be Tested. Gov. Budd and Napa Asylum Directors—Railroad Agent Held Up—Wine Industry.****BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.****RED BLUFF, Nov. 13.—The preliminary examination of Joe Sousa, the Portuguese boy who killed his stepfather, Autone C. Nufiez, in the northern part of this county, October 26, took place before Justice Gill today. Dist. Atty. Andrews conducted the prosecution, and P. H. Coffman represented the defendant.****The first witness called was Frank Sousa, the eight-year-old brother of the defendant. Testimony was the same as that given by him at the coroner's inquest. The evidence of the defendant given at the coroner's inquest was introduced, in which he stated that he killed Nufiez because he was afraid Nufiez would kill his mother. The defendant's mother was the next witness, and her testimony corroborated that of the defendant.****Joe Rose, the hired man, testified that although he sat in an adjoining room and only ten feet from the scene of the conflict, he continued to eat his breakfast, and did not move until he heard the shot, and then he went into the room in time to see Nufiez fall.****Red and Ward, two neighbors, stated that the defendant told them after it occurred that he had killed Nufiez because he was whipping his mother.****Dr. West testified that he held the post-mortem examination, and that Nufiez was not killed by small shot with which the defendant said his gun was loaded, but by a .32-caliber ball.****The case was submitted to Justice Gill, who will render his decision tomorrow.****CORINNE'S CHARITY.****With Her Possessions to a Future Home for Actresses.****BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.****SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 13.—Corinne, the actress, now playing at the Columbia Theater in this city, executed her will yesterday. By its terms her real estate, her jewelry, every costume and every bit of personal property will be sold for what it will bring. The lump sum should aggregate \$750,000, and with it a good-sized tract of land is to be purchased just outside New York. Under this the "Corinne House for Actors" will be built, and future generations of poor and discouraged women will rise up and call the dancer with the flashing teeth blessed.****Corinne has chosen two eastern men of wealth as trustees of the corporation, and she has planned many details in advance. Her idea is that the home should be open so that actresses can go or come as their necessities dictate. All religions and all nationalities will be welcome. The house will be open to all, and no discrimination will be made, so far as possible, supporting by means of gardens and sewing that the women may do. Corinne wants it to be in all senses a home, and her idea is to save girls who cannot find employment from working into sin. She wants to extend them a helping hand until they can struggle back to their feet again.****SAN FRANCISCO BAY CROWDED.****Many Vessels are in the Harbor Seeking Charters.****BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.****SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 13.—Never since the days of 1849 has the harbor been so crowded as is the present. All classes of vessels are here, and seven out of every ten are seeking a charter.****Many of them are in ballast, and some have brought coal from Australia for a nominal sum in order to make expenses. All the captains are excited over the advance in wheat, and some of the new arrivals are holding out for a shilling rate to "Cork" or England.****A few days ago the disengaged demand in wheat aggregated \$8,535, ton while in 1895 it was only 27,664 tons. At the same time the engrossed tonnage was 108,828, while in 1895 it was only 24,415. Since the above figures were made up quite a number of vessels from England have arrived, and in consequence the disengaged list has been largely increased.****EXTENDING ITS BUSINESS.****A Chicago Trading Company Has Designs on the Yukon.****BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.****SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 13.—The North American Transportation and Trading Company of Chicago will establish its Pacific Coast agency in this city on the first of the coming year, and proposes to extend its business on the Yukon River and throughout Alaska. Capt. William Kidston, well known in this city, has been appointed agent of the company.****The company is composed of the Cubans and Welsh of Chicago, and has been engaged in trading in Alaska for five years. Two supply stores have been established on the Yukon River, and two large stern-wheel steamers now ply on the waters.****The Pacific Coast agency, now at Seattle, and the transfer to San Francisco means considerable to the trade from this city. Up to five years ago the Alaska Commercial Company enjoyed a monopoly of the Alaskan trade, but the continued increase of the territory's population has opened the way to other companies.****"MOORE'S" CONFESSION.****A Part of It Will Go Before the Trial.****JUICE.****NAPA, Nov. 13.—The Roe murderer, John Hoffman, Judge Murphy decided to allow certain portions of the confession to go before the jury. In that portion Roe told how after quitting work for Lynch, he went to San Francisco, registering at the What Cheer House under the name of William Smith. Then he started back to Napa and met Carl Schmidt, who accompanied him to the Greenwood residence. Roe then says, in his confession:****Greenwood drove into the yard in a buggy. I helped her out, and we both went into the house. All this time the Dutchman (meaning Schmidt) was standing on the porch. I told him to go and tie the horse up. While he was gone Greenwood and I got into the fus in the parlor. Greenwood pulled his****gun and I mine, and the shooting began. I shot him through the left cheek and knocked out one tooth. The same shot killed his wife. I then tied him, locked and gagged him, and took his horse and buggy and drove down to Napa."****Carl Schmidt, accomplice of Roe, who is serving a life sentence in San Quentin for the crime, was present in court on the 13th. He did not speak after very few questions that Schmidt was not in his right mind. An adjournment of court was taken, and Schmidt was examined as to his sanity by Dr. Lawler of San Quentin, Dr. Andrews and Shurtliff of Napa. He was declared insane, and so cannot testify.****Mrs. Julia Weysse of Los Angeles who, with her sister and brother-in-law, own a ranch in the San Fernando mountains, swore that Roe worked there, though he was away, up to last September. He was in the habit of drinking heavily, and during one of these debauches confided to her that he was the murderer of Mrs. Greenwood. He said he told her to believe his mind and so that she might get the reward. The court adjourned until Tuesday.****CALIFORNIA'S WINE INDUSTRY.****Co-operation Necessary if Prices are to Be Kept Up.****BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.****SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 13.—According to A. Sharbaro of the Italian-Swiss colony, the wine industry of California is in imminent peril. He has issued an appeal to the wine-makers of the State, urging them to join the Wine Makers' Corporation at once to keep up prices for their products. He pointed out that the Wine Makers' Corporation was organized, the price of wine was raised in one year from 6 cents to 15 cents a gallon, and it is probable that the crop of 1896 will be sold for 20 cents.****A large number of wine-growers who did not join the corporation resented the advantage of the increase of prices, but now Sharbaro says it is necessary for all the wine-growers of the State to unite if prices are to be kept up.****LET OUT.****Bowles Let His Angry Passions Rise and His Stick Fall.****BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.****NAPA, Nov. 13.—The Board of Army Directors met in extra session in consultation with Gov. Budd in regard to a recent trouble between the resident physician, Dr. A. M. Gardner and Second Physician Bowles. The new trustee, Barrett, was present for the first time. It developed at the investigation that Dr. Bowles had assaulted Dr. Gardner and it was unanimously ordered that Dr. Bowles be removed from his position. The trouble arose in the office when Bowles assaulted Gardner striking him with a heavy manzanita stick and inflicting a bad wound on the arm, which Gardner threw up to save his head.****He Mind to Be Tested.****SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 13.—Mrs. Susie Martin, who was last evening accused of having been guilty of murder on the ground that she was insane at the time, is now to be tried by Juicy to ascertain her mental condition. Superior Judge Wallace said her trial and the verdict rendered was a farce and a mockery. The woman should either have been convicted or locked up in an asylum.****Got a Job in Siberia.****SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 13.—Charles E. Farnham, the London placer miner, is going to Eastern Siberia under a three years' engagement with the Exploration Company of London. This company has secured control of placer beds along the Amoor River, and Hoffmann will report and operate in these beds which are said to be very rich. His salary will be \$15,000 a year.****Co-operation for Better Roads.****SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 13.—The Manufacturers' and Producers' Association will co-operate with the miners in endeavoring to bring about better roads in the State. President Tamm, of the Mining Association, said that the miners performed by convicts. It does not compete with free labor, he says, and where it has been tried in the eastern States it has resulted successfully.****Will Sport in France.****W. K. Vanderbilt Has Bought a String of Foreign Yearlings.****BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.****NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—A special to the Herald from Paris says M. Camille Blane has sold thirteen yearlings to W. K. Vanderbilt, who expects to compete racing operations in France in a short time. Robert Gerwing, five miles, 37s, November 24, 1896; Colorado State record.****A. B. McDonnell, fifteen miles, 34m. 22s, May 26, 1896; New York State and American record.****A. B. McDonnell, ten miles, 21m. 25s. May 26, 1896; New York State and American record.****A. B. McDonnell, twenty miles, 46m. 1s., May 26, 1896; New York State and American record.****Otto V. Muller and J. N. Halifax, Chicago to Milwaukee, 7h. 35m., August 6, 1896; tandem record.****T.O. Vaux, five miles, 9m. 26s., October 28, 1896; Colorado State and American record.****VENEZUELA APPARENTLY SATISFIED.****NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—A Herald special from Caracas, Venezuela, says:****"Details of the proposed settlement of the boundary dispute between Venezuela and Great Britain through the friendly intervention of the United States government have reached this city, and appear to give general satisfaction. After much discussion the leading officials at present say that the Venezuelan government is disposed to settle the question on the lines indicated in the agreement between the United States and Great Britain with out haggling over minor points. The agreement in title shall be determined by the occupancy of territories for fifty years is regarded by prominent Venezuelans as a happy solution of the question. Some demagogues may oppose it, but the people at large will offer no opposition to this party, like every other, had split in twain this year."****In 1892 some of us sat up all night with the Committee on Resolutions of the great labor convention, with its thousand delegates, pleading with them to put prohibition and home-protection plans in their platform, and they would not."****The speaker said that prohibition in politics has been, is now, and is to be embodied to protect the home against the saloon, but owing to the great contention of the states over the free coinage of silver this party, like every other, had split in twain this year.****Miss Willard touched on the work done for temperance in several States, then spoke of the Armenians and the Chinese, who are the most numerous of Maine. Mrs. Fessenden and Miss Blackwell of Massachusetts, the Armenian Relief Committee and the Salvation Army. She stated that the World's W.C.T.U. intended to take up the work of the Armenians as an important part of its program, so they would probably found a colony in Cyprus for women and children.****This was followed by an evangelistic hour, presided over by Rev. Alice Ruth Parker of Minnesota.****At the afternoon session the following letter to Lady Henry Somerset was read:****"I profoundly regret complications here in the enterprises to which I am attached, and the difficulties of my son's recent marriage and my mother's impaired health render it impossible for me to cross the ocean this autumn, that I might relieve the impetus and inspiration that may be imparted by association with my Armenian sisters of the white ribbon."****"I am certain as anything in this changing life that I shall attend the World's W.C.T.U. convention in Canada next autumn, and I am earnestly hoping that your annual meeting in the fall will be in the same city that we are to meet in the use of sail is out of date by the contention that it nevertheless educates the nerves and brain, and inculcates the habit of command. 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Mrs. Fessenden and Miss Blackwell of Massachusetts, the Armenian Relief Committee and the Salvation Army. She stated that the World's W.C.T.U. intended to take up the work of the Armenians as an important part of its program, so they would probably found a colony in Cyprus for women and children.****This was followed by an evangelistic hour, presided over by Rev. Alice Ruth Parker of Minnesota.****At the afternoon session the following letter to Lady Henry Somerset was read:****"I profoundly regret complications here in the enterprises to which I am attached, and the difficulties of my son's recent marriage and my mother's impaired health render it impossible for me to cross the ocean this autumn, that I might relieve the impetus and inspiration that may be imparted by association with my Armenian sisters of the white ribbon."****"I am certain as anything in this changing life that I**

## SPANISH ARMS WON.

A BRILLIANT VICTORY CLAIMED IN THE PHILIPPINES.

Over Four Hundred of the Enemy Slain to Thirty-five of the King's Redoubtable Troopers.

THE ENGAGEMENTS IN CUBA.

SEÑOR DUPUY DE LOME RECEIVES ADVICES FROM MADRID.

Sensational Reports as to Movements of Troops and Outrages Treatment of American Commercial Agencies Denied.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—Señor Dupuy de Lome, the Spanish Minister, has received today telegrams from the Duke of Tetuan, Minister of State, as follows:

"MADRID, Nov. 10.—Gen. Blanco, Captain-General of the Philippine Islands, with 3000 men of the Regulars, supported by 1000 of our men, yesterday attacked Cavite Viejo and Noveleta. The towns were defended by over ten thousand rebels. Using the isthmus of Noveleta they captured and destroyed a redoubt near the town of Vinicayán. On the march to Llong they had a bloody battle. The bearing and enthusiasm of our troops was brilliant. The casualties to the enemy were over four hundred. Our losses were 35 killed and 103 wounded. (Signed) TETUAN."

"MADRID, Nov. 13.—A number of engagements have taken place in the provinces of Matanzas, Havana and Pinar del Rio in Cuba. The rebels at Tenerife were dispersed. (The latter is a hamlet near Consolacion del Sur in the province of Pinar del Rio.) Gen. Alvarado reported having secured firing on Santa Barbara and heavy firing near Laoma, probably from the division under Gen. Weyler.

(Signed) TETUAN."

SENSATIONAL REPORTS DENIED.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—Concerning the reports that the War Department, because of possible trouble with Spain, has been making inquiries of trunk-line railroads running to the Gulf Coast and along the southern seaboard as to facilities for moving war supplies, it was stated today that nothing was made in the past year by the War Department on this subject was one intended to ascertain the cost of executing an order made about six weeks ago by the Secretary of War, looking to the annual examination of troops. Of course this had no warlike purpose whatever, for the same number of troops that were added to the Department of the East were carried West to take the score.

The truth is also given by the best authority to the sensational story that the State Department warned Spain against further outrageous treatment of American commercial agencies doing business with the country. It is said that owing to radical organic differences the systems of customs collections pursued by Spain and the United States and the absence from the Spanish system of what are known in this country as port charges and shipping has been more or less embarrassing in detention growing out of the failure to observe the technical requirements of the Cuban custom system. But nothing has happened recently to cause strained relations between the two governments on this score.

NO SUCH NOTES.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—Señor Dupuy de Lome, the Spanish Minister, today showed the following cablegram from the Spanish Minister of Foreign Affairs: "Cablegrams from New York and Washington published at London, referring to the supposed notes of Mr. Taylor and the Spanish government are entirely false. There is not the slightest foundation for such rumors, and they are undoubtedly of discrediting origin. (Signed) TETUAN."

DEFENSIVE WORKS.

CHICAGO, Nov. 13.—A special to the Tribune from Washington says that while the navy is being placed on a war footing, in anticipation of possible trouble with Spain, growing out of the Cuban rebellion, the army is equally active in warlike preparations, especially along the South Atlantic coast.

Gen. Craighill, chief of engineers of the army, has just returned from a hurried inspection of the fortifications now in course of construction at Galveston, Tex.; Forts Phillips, McRae, the Mississippi River below New Orleans; Mobile, Ala.; Pensacola, Key West and another inland. The works of coastwise defense have been quietly but rapidly pushed toward completion and Gen. Craighill has reported to the Secretary of War that all, nearly all of them, will be ready for occupancy by December 15.

Gen. Craighill would not say that the work on the fortifications and the organization for their immediate completion had any bearing upon the Cuban question, but he placed a significant emphasis upon the remark that "just now we are exerting all the energy of the engineer corps in the work upon these fortifications."

At the last session of Congress an appropriation of \$5,000,000 was provided for immediate expenditure upon the coast defenses from Maine to Texas, besides as much more for contracts.

This is being an unusually liberal amount of money was given to exercise all due haste in the work along the southern coast.

Craighill says the work on the fortifications has been pushed forward to the extinction of other business of the engineering department. He is gratified to report that they will be ready to receive their armaments not later than the middle of next month.

NOT DROWNED BUT SOLDIERING.

FRANKPORT (Ky.), Nov. 13.—Information has been received here at last corroborating the rumor that Henry and Dalton Arnold, formerly of this city, who were supposed for two years to have been drowned in the Ohio River, were in the Cuban army. The news comes through Hon. Robert Wickliffe of New Orleans. They are serving under Gen. Gascara.

AN EXPEDITION REPORTED TO HAVE LANDED.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—A special to the World from Kingston, Jamaica, says that the expedition which left there for Cuba conveying important dispatches from the New York junks and munitions of war, is reported to have landed in safety.

AN EXCITING SESSION.

LIMA (Peru), Nov. 13.—(By Atlantic Cable, Associated Press Copyright, 1886.) Something of a sensation has been caused here by the news received yesterday from the Foreign Office of a favorable report made by the Committee of Deputies on a resolution to recognize the Cuban insurgents as belligerents.

Upon hearing the news the Spanish

envoy to Peru, Señor de Vanello, who is also accredited to Bolivia, immediately set out for Sucre to look after Spanish interests in that capital, and presumably to lodge a protest on behalf of his government against the proposed action.

Further advices received today from Sucre show that the Congress had an exciting and stormy session, during which the Chamber declared the resolution adopted, and the Senate proceeded to approve it in the midst of loud protests from exiled Senators, and great confusion in the Senate chamber, so that the session finally had to be suspended.

NO GOOD OFFICES TENDERED.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—The officials of the Foreign Office deny there is any truth in the story published by a New York newspaper that British Ambassador Sir Julian Pauncefote had tendered the good offices of Great Britain with a view to averting trouble between the United States and Spain. The officials say that beyond newspaper rumors they have no knowledge of any difficulty between the United States and Spain.

HAVANA NOTES.

HAVANA, Nov. 13.—The colonels of the Spanish army now in Havana have offered to raise 200 volunteers to take the field for Spain.

Committees have been organized to go into different districts of the city and collect funds for the popular subscription to increase the navy.

No details have been received today regarding the movements of Capt. Gen. Weyler.

An insurgent named Apolino Saez will be shot at the Cabanas fort tomorrow.

Col. Arce was conveying supplies from La Leceras to Founas when he was attacked by insurgents, eleven of whom were killed.

KEEPING UP SPIRITS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—A dispatch to the Herald from Madrid says Premier Canovas del Castillo said today there had been serious reverses in Cuba, but these ought not to discourage the national spirit.

CRASHED DOWN THE BANK

WRECK OF A TRAIN ON THE LOUISVILLE AND NASHVILLE.

A Rail Displaced by Unknown Persons—Three Persons Seriously Injured—Smash-up of Cars—A Colored Track-walker Suspected.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE

MONTGOMERY (Ala.), Nov. 13.—The 2:30 o'clock train from Louisville this morning on the Louisville and Nashville road bound for New Orleans was wrecked four miles from this place in a very wild country by train robbers. The engineer saw the obstruction on the track too late to stop the train, which went crashing down a steep embankment. A rail had been torn up and dangled down again, three or four inches out of line. The train, comprising two mail coaches, a baggage-car and two first-class coaches, was completely wrecked. The track was torn up fully two hundred yards.

Three persons were seriously injured. John Stewart of Atlanta, bound for New Orleans, and W. C. McWayne of Monroe, the most serious, having two other passengers pinned under the smoking car were released only after an hour's hard work. Their names could not be ascertained.

Bloodhounds have been set on the trail of the wreckers. Suspicion rests on a colored track-walker, who was captured near the place. He claims to have been posted there to watch for train-wreckers by the company. The damage is fully \$50,000.

Ashore in a Storm.

CLEVELAND, (Ohio), Nov. 13.—The schooner Brenton was driven ashore just east of the river piers this morning in a terrific storm of wind and rain. The lifeboat crew succeeded after much difficulty in rescuing the crew of five. The schooner will be a total wreck. The wind is blowing forty miles an hour from the northwest and is accompanied by a blinding snow-storm.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

A City of Mexico dispatch says that a heavy earthquake of considerable duration was felt at Acapulco.

Papal Delegate Averardi was enthusiastically received at San Luis Potosi, Mex., yesterday, where he celebrated pontifical mass.

The American Ambassador, Mr. Ward, has ordered Minister of Foreign Affairs Lapaz to demand the Bolivians evacuate the territory of San Antonio, which the latter government recently occupied.

United States steam monitor Terrier, which left the navy-yard Thursday night, anchored Sandy Key, at 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning, having put out to sea with the remainder of the fleet.

A special to the New York Herald from Buenos Ayres says Argentina's Government has ordered Minister of Foreign Affairs Lapaz to demand the Bolivians evacuate the territory of San Antonio, which the latter government recently occupied.

The other two wrecks were "The Congress of the United States," by Congressman Belford; "The Press," Joseph Howard; "The Maritime Exchange," Hugh Kelly; "The Society of Mechanical Engineers," C. H. Leavenworth; "The New Market," Capt. J. W. Miller; "Our Society," Capt. of Construction Hichborn; "The Shipbuilders," Gen. Thomas Hyde.

George B. Daniels and Stevenson Taylor were called for short talks.

AT TRIBBLEY IN REAL LIFE.

Famous Actress Loses Her Voice and Plays Under Hypnotic Influence.

One of the greatest marvels which hypnotism has ever accomplished is now the realization, writes a letter from Stockholm to the New York Journal. Dr. Du Maurier lived a few days longer he might have learned of an actual occurrence, which removes every vestige of the improbable.

The mother took Gladys into the bathroom and gave her a thorough scrubbing. Then she allowed the mite to play in the water for a few moments, and after that put her in the soap-suds and put her nightie on.

Just as the grocer boy came and the mother had to run down stairs and take charge of the provisions. After she had put everything away, she came back, grabbed up a twin and led her to the bathroom. The little girl did not say much. After she was bathed she scampered back to her bedroom.

There was a whispered consultation between the two, and the girl began to laugh as loudly as the could.

"What are you youngsters laughing at?" asked the mother as she came into the bedroom.

"Nothing," they both protested, between giggles.

"You are," insisted the mother. "Tell me this instant."

"Well," said Gladys, rolling about on the floor in merriment, "I am not the one to tell you youngsters laughing at."

The performance was summarily closed, and the actress went home and to bed.

Then there was a hurrying to and fro. Something had been done, and at once Dr. Wetterson, who had been in the usual remedies for aphasia, which is a nervous disease, were administered, and Mme. Alalberg went to sleep. The next morning she was found dead in her bed.

The emperor of China has ten men to hold his umbrella. It has never yet been borrowed.

While the true American does not believe in love, he will let his last coat on her.

A young lady refers to the time she was in front of her mirror as "moments of reflection."

A whisky trust has been formed in Dublin. This will tend to raise the spirits of the Irish nation.

The Irish nation should invariably go with every fortune which is left to a frivolous young man.

After the proposal, "And do you love him child?" "Love him, mamma? I've seen his bank book."

Mme. Alalberg is a woman of great firmness and mentality. Therefore, she can be no mean subject for hypnotism.

In a few moments Mme. Alalberg can show evidence that the hypnotic spell was effective. Soon afterward her mind surrendered to that of the doctor. The hypnotism was an accomplished fact. Next came the test of power.

"Mme. Alalberg," said the doctor, "you voice has been restored. You will proceed to the Theater Royal and enact the role for which you are cast in 'Gluck im Winkel.'

Without a moment's hesitation the actress arose from the couch on which she was seated, went to her dressing-room, donned her street costume, called her carriage and drove straight to the theater.

Mme. Alalberg made her entrance again—the other way.

## GLORIES OF THE NAVY.

STIRRING THEME ON WHICH SECRETARY HERBERT DWELT.

Our Officers and Men Worthy of Our Ships, Our Guns and Our Traditions—The Country's Flag and Honor Safe in Their Hands.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—The fourth annual meeting of the Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers which closed today a two-days' session, was wound up tonight with a banquet at Delmonico's. Guests were laid for 150 guests, and ranged around the table at which President Clement A. Grison presided were the guests of honor, among whom were Secretary H. A. Herbert, Commodore Sciaro, commanding the Navy Yard; Rear Admiral Erben, retired; Capt. Mervagno of the Russian legation; George H. Daniels, Nathaniel C. Herreshoff and Charles Cramp of Philadelphia.

President Grison toasted the President of the United States, while toast was drunk standing.

The second toast was the "United States Navy," which was responded to by Secretary Herbert. He spoke briefly of the country's magnificence and patriotism of the men and women who make up the nation's defense. He spoke particularly of the glories of the American navy, saying:

"Take the personnel of our navy all together, line officers, staff officers and enlisted men, and they are worthy of the highest admiration and respect, too, of the courage of the heroes left by Paul Jones and Decatur and Bainbridge and the other gallant tars who made famous the name of the American sailor in the early history of our country.

The navy began its career in glory and it has never yet missed an opportunity of adding to its reputation.

No more splendid pages will ever be written than those which record the deeds of the Confederate and Union navies of the Civil War.

Consider, too, the brave men who made famous the name of the American sailor in the early history of our country.

To all appearances she had never been more ill than she did yesterday. The doctor had not yet mastered her to his full power of voice and facilities. Never was hypnotic suggestion more implicitly obeyed. There was a fire and enthusiasm in her interpretation of the stellar role at which even those who knew her best and appreciated her greatness marveled. The audience, ignorant of the truth, applauded in deafening fashion. Again and again the actress was called before the curtain. Hypnotism had scored another triumph.

STRANGE HARRIS STORY.

Spook of Sir Augustus Supposed to Haunt His London Theater.

Perhaps the most curious rumor connected with Drury Lane (writes Randolph in Today) is the weird whisper going about among some of the stage hands that more than once since death "the Governor" has been seen on the stage that he loved so well. You can't shake the idea out of their heads, and at the prompt corner, more particularly, they glance often in nervous apprehension. The force of habit probably has something to do with this, but I am rather superstitious myself, nad it seems to me that if the spirits of the departed are permitted to visit the scenes of their former labors, nothing would be more natural than that Drury Lane should be visited by the wrath of its greatest manager.

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# Los Angeles Daily Times

## CIRCULATION.

worn Weekly Statement of the Circulation of the Los Angeles Times.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, ES.

Personally affirmed before me, H. G. OTIS, general manager of the Times, who being duly sworn, deposes and says that the daily circulation of said newspaper, printed and published at the office of the Times, for the week ending November 7, each day of the week ended November 7, were as follows:

Monday, November 1..... 22,552

Tuesday, "..... 17,150

Wednesday, "..... 17,171

Thursday, "..... 17,169

Friday, "..... 22,510

Saturday, "..... 20,132

Sunday, "..... 18,560

Total for the week..... 151,450

Daily average for the week..... 21,615

(Signed) H. G. OTIS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of November, 1896.

J. C. OLIVER,  
Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

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## SPECIAL NOTICES—

CALL TO THE CITIZENS OF THE SIXTH Ward.

The Sixth Ward Republican Club will hold a meeting at Wilson's Hall, cor. Central and Washington st., on Nov. 14, 1896, at 8 o'clock p.m.

There will be present all the candidates on the Republican ticket.

All citizens of the Sixth Ward are invited and earnestly requested to attend.

Come one, come all.

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WANTED—OLY GOLD, SILVER, WATCHES, jewelry, etc., bought for cash at highest price, or exchanged. E. ATLEE, 206½ S. Broadway, room 8. 15

FAKE NOTICE.—THE CITY PUBLIC MAN-AGER has been removed to WESTERN AVENUE, 1 mile south of Jefferson st.

WANTED—WHITE-WASHING, HOUSES, barns, and fences; all work guaranteed. JOHN LAIBLE, 47 Allis st.

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## THE FRATERNAL FIELD.

## Masonic.

Local pride or some other good reason has caused Coeur de Lion Commandery, Knights Templars, to change their name to Los Angeles.

Nearly all the Masonic bodies upon their removal to the new temple on Hill street have retained their regular night of meeting, the notable exception being Pentalpha Lodge, F. and A. M., which now meets Thursday instead of Monday night as formerly.

A goodly attendance greeted Los Angeles Lodge, Thursday night, on the occasion of the conferring of the third degree.

Southern California Lodge conferred the first degree on Wednesday night.

John E. Jackson, who died in this city last Saturday was not only an old and honored resident of the city, but was one of the most prominent Masons. He was a member of Los Angeles Lodge, No. 42, F. and A. M.; Los Angeles Chapter, No. 33; R. A. M.; Los Angeles Commandery, Knights Templars, No. 9; Al Malakah Temple, A.A.O.N.M.S., and was one of the directors of the Masonic Hall Association. He was also a charter member of the California Club and a member of Los Angeles Lodge, No. 10, O.O.U.W. He was buried at the new Masonic Temple on Hill street on Monday, and was very impressive, being largely attended by members of all the above organizations in question.

There is much activity in all the Masonic bodies of the city, with degree work nearly every night.

As the annual elections approach, much interest is being manifested in putting forth the very best material for the same.

Signet Chapter, R.A.M., will confer the Mark Master degree next Tuesday night.

South Gate Lodge, F. and A. M., has numerous applications and much degree work on hand.

**Order of the Eastern Star.**

This popular ladies auxiliary to the Masonic order is interested in membership and interest in this vicinity and shows a healthy state of affairs throughout the State. The order has a total membership of 125,000 in the United States, with 373 in California. This city has two chapters, Acacia and Southern California.

The Worthy Grand Matron announces the following appointed officers: Grand Conductor, Mrs. Polly Martin, Adah Chapter, No. 122, Reno, Nev.; Associate Grand Conductor, Mrs. Lillie Fort, Columbus Chapter, Sacramento; Grand Marshal, Mrs. Maud T. McCullough, Crystal, 57, Auburn; Grand Chaplain, Mrs. Jane F. Raabe, Solidome, 82, Healdsburg; Grand Adah, Mrs. Florence C. Southgate, 133, Los Angeles; Grand Matron, Mrs. Marie Leonard, Centinela, 136, Los Banos; Grand Esther, Miss Jennie Steen, Idlewild, 19, Santa Cruz; Grand Martha, Miss Nellie Dinwiddie, Morning Star, 61, Petaluma; Grand Neva, Miss Anna Little, 10, Los Angeles; Grand Warden, Mrs. A. J. Andrews, Mercedes, 126, Merced; Grand Organist, Miss Neddie Darling, Golden Gate, 1, San Francisco; Grand Sentinel, Maurice Pritchard, Sierra Star, Livermore.

The following officers of Silver Wave Chapter, San Bernardino, have just been elected: Matron, Mrs. S. A. Terrass; Patron, C. W. Pearce; Treasurer; Assistant Matron, Mrs. Alice R. Davis; Secretary; Mrs. Anna G. Pierce; Treasurer; Miss Anna G. Pierce; Conductor; Mrs. Anna G. Pierce; Recording Secretary; Mrs. Emma Parke, Treasurer; Mrs. Nettie Foster, Conductor; Mrs. Lella Roberts, Assistant Conductor; Miss Cora Costerian, Adah; Mrs. Dr. Taggart, Ruth; Miss McAllister Esther; Mrs. Skidmore, Martha; Mrs. Spencer; Electa; Miss Griggs, Warden; J. F. La Croix, Sentinel.

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**Women's Relief Corps.**

Frank Bartlett W.R.C. held their last social at the residence of Mrs. Ingram, No. 332 Commercial street, on Monday afternoon and evening. The attendance was good and the event enjoyable.

A card and dancing party was tendered by John A. Logan W.R.C. to the women of the club last evening in their hall, No. 610 South Spring street.

**Knights of Pythias.**

The Pythian rank was conferred by Marathon Lodge, No. 182, on Tuesday night and one new application was received. The Esquire rank will be conferred next Tuesday night.

A new lodge is about to be organized at Jamestown. It is to be called "The Fraternal Brotherhood."

This brotherhood was a time when Pythianism was the better condition in this city than at present. The lodges of the city are all in a flourishing state, also the Los Angeles Company, Uniform Rank and the Atheneum Sisters. The newest company of the Uniform Rank is in process of organization at Santa Monica and another at Pomona, while the companies at San Bernardino and Santa Ana are being reviewed.

**Knights of Macabees.**

The new hall of the K. O. T. M. (Formerly Masonic Hall) over the Los Angeles National Bank is by far the finest lodge hall in the city with its rich draperies, fine furniture, chearlich frescoing, etc. This order is increasing in membership at a rapid rate.

A new tent with a substantial membership of sixty business men, was instituted in the new hall on Wednesday evening by C. A. Luckenbach, S. D. C. assisted by the degree team of Tent No. 2. The new tent will be known as Mercator. No. 60, and the first board of officers is as follows: M. A. Hamburger, L.C.; W. S. Allen; C. A. Craig; L.C.; A. Pollock; Captain A. Schubert; Sergeant C. H. Brown; F. K. W. DeGamo; R. K. F. L. Dwyer; M.A.; H. L. Harris; First M.G.; Thomas F. Joyce, Second M.G.; D. McKay; Sentinel; E. S. Ray.

## 'NOW WILLING TO LIVE'

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the body to convert the food into solid flesh and blood.

Of all the means that medical skill has ever discovered for recruiting the exhausted energy of the worn-out system, Paine's celery compound is far in advance. The pallid face, pinched features, the growing thinness and the listlessness of the body tell the story of badly impoverished nerves and brain—all these forebodings of approaching disease disappear with the profound nourishing that Paine's celery compound always provides throughout the body, even to the minutest nerve filaments and blood capillaries.

David Hirsch, the well-known Broadway merchant, New York, writes as follows to Wells, Richardson & Co.:

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"After taking two bottles of Paine's celery compound I feel in every respect better, stronger, more cheerful and willing to live. I will certainly never forget the effects of Paine's celery compound upon my system, and I wish to state that I am now past 68 years of age, and have traveled most all over the world, and now feel I can keep on doing it and also enjoy it."

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taking an anesthetic when having a tooth extracted would probably find the operation as performed by the Kaffir dentist a little troublesome, to say the least of it.

Of course, the Kaffirs dwelling in or near the towns go to the ordinary dentist, but those living far away from civilization have no alternative but to resort to the methods described above.

**Knights of Honor.**

Grand Dictator Archibald is now making his tour of official visits. He was in San Diego on Thursday, and will visit Los Angeles Lodge, No. 2925, on Wednesday evening of next week.

The latest lodge, while not making as much noise as many, is having a steady, substantial growth, and is in a good condition numerically and financially.

The Grand Trustees convened on the 5th, and transacted much important business.

**The Federal Court Will Decide.**

TOPEKA (Kan.). Nov. 13.—By an agreement entered into here the Santa Fe receivership matter is to be determined in the Federal Court before Judge Foster on the following points:

First, as to the constitutionality of the law as applied to alien land owners generally.

Second, as to the constitutionality of the law as applied to alien land owners specifically.

Third, as to the question whether the law was ever legally enacted by the Legislature.

Receiver Charles F. Johnson joins in the agreement, although his attorney, ex-Judge Henry Keeler, maintains that the matter cannot be taken out of the Jefferson county district court without Judge Meyer's consent.

## Kaffir Dentistry.

(Pittsburgh Dispatch) The method of extracting teeth among the Kaffirs is barbarous in the extreme, and reminds one of the tortures of the dark ages.

The patient is placed on the ground, and four men are employed to hold him down, two taking his arms and two his legs. Then the operator kneels down before him, and, taking a piece of sharpened iron, sticks it into the gum until the offending tooth is loose. He then extracts it with finger and thumb, the patient having suffered naturally the unspoken agonies.

The patient is then left in the operation room a long duration of time, extending over as much as thirty minutes, but, of course, this varies according to the strength of the tooth. Persons in this country who make a practice of

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## AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

ORPHEUM—Vaudeville.  
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## CRUISE OF THE NORMA.

In The Times of tomorrow (Sunday) will appear a unique feature—the publication of the first of a series of letters describing the "Cruise of the Norma."

Incidentally it may be mentioned that the Norma is a trim little schooner yacht, only 115 feet long and with a tonnage not exceeding 100 tons. She has practically been rebuilt for the cruise around the world she is now making, and on which she started from New York some days ago; and the story of her adventures and of those on board of her it is proposed to tell in the series of letters referred to above.

The chief object which the promoters of the fascinating enterprise had in view was the sending out of a number of competent newspaper correspondents and artists, that they might gather information for the newspapers they represented concerning the various countries the Norma may visit on her cruise. No better or more intelligent idea was ever conceived, inasmuch as all that strikes the correspondents as worthy of note will be presented by them, each from his own point of view. It can be readily understood that here will be a case where truth will prove even more fascinating than fiction, while at the same time not a little fresh information, valuable from a commercial point of view, will be imparted. Times' readers will get the benefit of all these letters.

## THE DINGLEY TARIFF BILL.

There is no doubt that the passage of the Dingley Tariff Bill at the forthcoming session of the Fifty-fourth Congress would be of great benefit to the nation at large, provided it should receive the approval of the President. If it cannot receive such approval the time of Congress will be utterly wasted in discussing and passing the measure. It ought not to be impossible to ascertain in advance, with some degree of certainty, whether the President will approve this measure or something similar to it. If it be found that his veto would be reasonably certain to follow the passage of the bill, all attempts to pass it at this session of Congress may as well be abandoned, and the attention of our legislative statesmen should be turned to measures more likely to receive the President's signature.

The Dingley bill is at best only a temporary expedient, and if passed would by no means satisfy the Republican demand and pledge for a revision of the tariff. It is in no sense a revision of the tariff, but was designed merely to supply the revenue necessary to meet current expenses of government and obviate any necessity for further bond issues. One of its immediate benefits, if it became a law, would be to prevent the influx of vast quantities of foreign products, of the kind covered by the bill. If it served this purpose, and at the same time increased the revenues of the government to a degree commensurate with the expenditures, its mission would be well accomplished.

It is extremely doubtful whether the Dingley Tariff Bill or any measure like it can pass Congress at the session which begins next month. Even if such a bill could pass both houses, the executive approval would be a matter of doubt. While it is the moral duty of all Senators and Representatives to abandon, for the present at least, all attempts at free-coining legislation, it would probably be expecting too much to expect the silverites to act in so patriotic and sensible a manner. But it will not be many months, fortunately, before President McKinley will be inaugurated, when all danger of a Presidential veto of needed tariff legislation will be past. An extra session of the Fifty-fifth Congress can and will be called, if necessary, and there are fairly good reasons for believing that it will contain enough patriotic and sensible members to carry out the work before it in a manner that will be satisfactory and beneficial to the country.

For a man who was both inefficient and slantidicular in his ways, as intimated by the Independent, Judge B. T. Williams of Ventura polled a frighteningly big vote and ran nearly 400 ahead of McKinley in that county. He was evidently good enough for re-election.

## SOME QUESTIONS ANSWERED.

A correspondent, writing to The Times from Santa Fe Springs, propounds the following questions:

1. What State officers constitute the State Board of Canvassers in this State?

2. Does this board canvass the votes for Congressmen?

3. At what date do they canvass the votes cast for electors?

4. When do these electors meet at Sacramento and cast their votes for President and Vice-President? Is their ballot a secret ballot?

5. Are these electors machines; or, in other words, could the nine electors chosen on the McKinley ticket legally cast their votes for any candidate but McKinley?

6. If the answer to the fifth be yes, what prevents our being fearfully sold at some time? Suppose the case be like this: The result of the election is known, of course, in all the different States; with all of California's nine electors, McKinley has, let us say, 223 electoral votes. Now, if anything should induce one of these to change his mind and vote for Bryan, then Bryan would be elected, and we would not know which one of the nine had sold out. Would there be any legal remedy?

"M. A. BLANCHARD."

(1.) California has no "State Board of Canvassers" under the present law. The returns for each county, as officially canvassed by the Board of Supervisors, are transmitted to the Secretary of State, whose duty it is to "compile and estimate the vote" as shown by the official returns from each county. The Secretary of State is required to "make out and file in his office a statement thereof and transmit a copy of such statement to the Governor." It becomes the duty of the Governor, upon receipt of such copy, to "issue commissions to the persons who from it appear to have received the highest number of votes for offices, except that of Governor and Lieutenant-Governor, to be filled at such election." The official returns for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor are transmitted to the Speaker of the Assembly and by him "opened, canvassed and the result declared" in the presence of both houses.

(2.) The votes for Congressmen are canvassed in the same manner as those for officers other than Governor and Lieutenant-Governor.

(3.) The Secretary of State is required to "compare and estimate the votes given for electors, and certify to the Governor the names of the proper number of persons having the highest number of votes" on the last Monday in the month of the election, or as soon as the returns have been received from all the counties in the State, if received before that time.

(4.) The electors meet at Sacramento on the second Monday in January next following their election, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The law merely provides that "the electors, when convened, must vote by ballot for one person for President and one person for Vice-President of the United States, one of whom, at least, is not an inhabitant of this State." Also that distinct lists of all persons voted for shall be made, sealed and transmitted by mail to the President of the Senate at Washington, D. C.

(5.) An elector is not legally bound to vote for the candidates upon whose tickets he was elected.

(6.) The name of an elector who should betray his party by voting otherwise than for the candidate of its choice would be rendered forever infamous by such action. No such instance of base betrayal has occurred in the history of the country and no case of the kind is likely to occur.

The "sloughing off" of the Silverite-Populist gang from the Democratic party made some big holes in the ranks, it is true; but the historic old party can and will survive this trial of its faith. It will be reorganized four years hence, but not upon free-coining lines. The sound-money Democrats are the only true Democrats, and they will control the party organization in future campaigns. It may take years for the party to regain its prestige, but it will never be merged into the party of revolution and anarchy. Nor will the Popocat-silverite organization ever again figure as a serious factor in a national election. Millions of Democrats who this year have acted with the Popocat crowd will return to the Democratic faith, and repudiation will not again be presented as a dominant issue in American politics.

It remains to be seen what will be done with George B. Sperry, who was an aide on the Governor's staff as well as a member of the State Board of Commissioners for the Yosemite Park. He resigned both positions on account of what Gov. Budd said, in his San Francisco speech, about working people being coerced by their employers. He told Budd (whom he had known ever since boyhood) what he thought of such demagogic utterances, and Budd's organ, the Stockton Mail, says Sperry will be court-martialed for disrespectful language to his superior officer. It is dollars to doughnuts that such trial ever comes off.

In a Pennsylvania libel case a verdict for \$600 was rendered against a newspaper for merely reporting the fact that the neighbors of a harmless old woman said and believed that she was a witch. The case was appealed, and the higher court sustained the verdict. Had the scene of this little drama been laid in Salem, 200 years ago, the outcome would have been entirely different. As Bro. Jasper has it, "the world do move."

It is a singular fact that on Tuesday, the 2d inst., the tide rose higher in San Diego Harbor than was ever known before. Its usual rise, at the full of the moon, is 6½ feet, but on that occasion it rose to 7½. That tide exemplified Populism, which was higher on that day than it will ever be again. A tide-gauge (of water, not of Populism) is kept at Spreckels's wharf, where the curious can examine it if they doubt this statement.

A San Francisco jury, after a somewhat expedited trial, has acquitted Mrs. Susan Martin of the murder of her husband, a ward politician and

member of "de push" in that city, on the 30th of last March. The ground of acquittal was insanity, and it now remains to be seen whether Mrs. Martin will be left free to fill somebody else with lead or whether she will be sent to an insane hospital where such people ought to be kept in the interest of public safety. Give a foolish woman to understand she can perforate people without being punished for it and she is liable immediately to open a whole Schuetzenfest on her own account.

Denver has already begun to realize the effect of Colorado's wholesale endorsement of Bryanism. She has a new weekly paper called Justice, the chief object of which is to abuse capital and bring into disrepute the only friends that labor can claim. Such papers are a curse to any civilized country, because they seek to antagonize the laboring man against the very man whose money pays for the bed and board of his wife and children. There is no real friendship for the working man in all the professions of these agitators, and half the country's labor troubles are due to them.

History tells us that Galileo's first telescope was an old piece of lead-water-pipe with spectacle lenses glued in each end.

The original manuscript of the Book of Mormon is now in the possession of George Schweich of Richmond, Ray county, Missouri. It is valued at \$100,000.

The first fire-bricks made in this country were manufactured in Baltimore in 1827. They were manufactured for the back of old-fashioned fireplaces, the limestone proving too friable.

The thimble is a Dutch invention, and the first one was made in 1684 by a silversmith named Nicholas Van Benschoten. Originally it was called "thumbell," because it was worn on the thumb.

In Harbor Springs, Mich., there is a large and flourishing wood-toothpick industry. White birch is exclusively used in the manufacture of the toothpicks, and about 7,500,000 are turned out daily.

At the time of the taking of the census of 1890 there were 15,000,000 adult white male inhabitants in the United States, and 2,000,000 negroes, Chinese, Japanese, Indians etc. over the age of 21.

Ink stains may be removed from a book by applying with a camel's hair-pencil a small quantity of oxalic acid diluted with water and then using blotting paper. Two applications will remove all traces of the ink.

A reader of the Electric Engineer recently tried the experiment of tying up a 16-candle-power (57 watt) lamp. In trying to do this the lamp exploded, the glass shards separating the ship into supposedly water-tight compartments are so light that they were sprung under the pressure of the water and caused great leaks.

Although the magazine was separated from the engine-room by a continuous bulkhead without a continuation, it was soon filled with water which ran around the edges and through the seams of the metal. A naval expert says that the bulkheads separating the ship into supposedly water-tight compartments are so light that they were sprung under the pressure of the water and caused great leaks.

Sedan, where Emperor Napoleon III surrendered himself and his army to the Germans, is a small fortified town of the French Department of Ardennes, 130 miles northeast of Paris. It is famous for having been the place where the Sedan chair was invented and first used.

It is said that Dr. Max Wolf of Heidelberg, who has discovered a number of asteroids, has never directly seen an asteroid. His望远镜 has been made from the photographic plates on which the planets appear as short lines, owing to their motion, while stars are shown as points.

An instrument has been invented by a Frenchman by means of which one can accurately determine the position of variable stars especially novae.

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The newspapers continue to select McKinley's Cabinet for him, without the slightest idea of consulting him.

After a while the major will come out and select whom he wants and that is for the Democrats to quit keeping bad company. This seems very much like trying to teach old dogs new tricks.

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## THE WEATHER.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Nov. 13.—At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.05. Thermometer at the corresponding hours showed 60 deg. and 61 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 41 per cent; 5 p.m., 58 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., north, velocity 5 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 5 miles. Maximum temperature, 83 deg.; minimum temperature, 56 deg. Character of weather, clear. Barometer reduced to sea level.

## The Times

## ALL ALONG THE LINE.

McKinley is elected and already there are rumors of railroad building in Orange county through the fertile West minister country to the site of the new Alamitos sugar factory.

Celery-growing is becoming an important industry in the peat lands of Orange county. Statements of its development may be found in the Orange county news this morning.

Bowers of San Diego is still fighting. He and his friends do not admit that Populist Castle was elected legally, and they are talking of a contest on the ground that in some cases Castle was credited with two votes on one ballot.

San Pedro is jubilating over the probability of the establishment of a steamship line between that port and Ensenada. Such a line would increase the trade between Lower California and this country, and might be a profitable enterprise.

San Diegans are happy over the advertisement by the army engineers for bids for the construction of a gun battery at Ballast Point in San Diego Bay. After years of hoping for this much-needed fortification, it now looks as if the hopes were about beginning to be realized.

The young men of Highland have established the novel custom of climbing an unnamed mountain whenever a President is elected, and christening it after the new Chief Executive. Mt. Harrison was named four years ago, and now Mt. McKinley has been made from a previously unnamed mountain.

**SECRETARY WALTON'S LETTER.**  
Accidental Omission of a Few Words  
Changed Its Meaning.

Yesterday morning The Times printed the petition put by the League for Better City Government to the City Council in the form of a letter written by the secretary, C. S. Walton. The letter was copied correctly by the reporter, but by some unfortunate error, in setting the type, seven words were dropped, changing essentially the tenor of the letter. The letter as written is as follows:

"To the Honorable City Council: At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the League for Better City Government I was instructed to request your honorable body to advertise the proposed amendments to the city charter, as well as in a Republican paper, in order that said amendments may be brought to the notice of all of our citizens, for the reason that it seems desirable that the greatest possible publicity should be given to this important movement, whereby a large and well-considered vote of the electors of Los Angeles may be obtained."

C. S. WALTON."

## An Evening Down South.

The "Evening Down South," given last evening at Hazard's Pavilion for the benefit of the Free Kindergarten Association was a largely attended and very enjoyable affair. The first part of the programme was devoted to songs, dances and banjo music, the participants, who had sacrificed their complexions for charity's sake, being grouped picturesquely about the stage.

Mrs. Wotkins, the presiding genius made a capital Aunt Dinah, and cheered the audience to do their best efforts. A banjo trio by Alice, Betty and Claude and Fred Turner was followed by a capital breakdown, energetically danced by a colored "gentleman," whose name did not appear on the programme. Prof. Hamilton sang that pathetic tale of the fisherman, and Mrs. and Mr. Rowan sang "I'm an old Inching," which was enthusiastically encored. Ed Chapman and V. Palmer gave a song and dance, followed by some remarkably high kicking. Mrs. T. E. Rowan, Jr., sang "Buzz," repeated it in response to a hearty cheer. Mr. Mathews rendered an excellent banjo solo, and Mr. McEachin, with the chorus, sang "My Old Kentucky Home." Louis Nordlinger gave a fine exhibition of club swinging in the second part of the programme, and the third was devoted to a comic sketch, rendered by the Maids Quartette, composed of Messrs. C. Overholzer, A. Holgate, Berline Leffler, and C. Ragland, a mandolin solo by Mr. Perera, a song by T. E. Rowan, Jr., and a cake walk. Willy's Orchestra furnished the music.

## BROKE HIS LEG.

Dennis Callahan Injured While at Work.

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## Gave Himself Up.

Jacob Zahn belongs to the unfortunate class of penniless men, but he has no desire to work on the chain gang. He heard of the severe sentence that vagrants have been receiving at the hands of Police Justices, and last night walked to the side door of the Police Station, and after knocking at the door that he was hungry and tired. He was given a meal and bed and booked as lodged. The chances are that had he remained on the street he would have been arrested for vagrancy, and he resolved to avoid that by giving himself up.

## An Ostrich-egg Omelet.

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OFFICIAL TOTALS.  
Vote of Los Angeles County as Finally Canvassed.

The Board of Supervisors completed the canvass of returns and footing of the tables yesterday. There are some changes from the figures previously given, but no change in results. The totals given below are official, and presumably are correct.

For President—McKinley (Rep.) 16,891; Bryan (Dem.) 12,252; Bryan (Pop.) 3803; Levering (Pro.) 787; Matchett (Socialist-Labor) 108; Palmer (Nat'l. People's) 11; National party 81; McKinley's plurality 385.

For Congress—McLachlan (Rep.) 15,291; Barlow (Pop.) 15,247; Needham (Pro.) 872; Harriman (Socialist-Labor) 312; McLachlan's plurality 44.

Superior Judges—Allen (Rep.) 16,565; Clark (Rep.) 14,747; Sherburne (Rep.) 210; Smith (Rep.) 16,689; Hazard (Dem.-Pop.) 15,562; Munday (Dem.-Pop.) 14,745; G. H. Smith (Dem.-Pop.) 14,761; Utley (Dem.-Pop.) 13,495.

Senator, Thirty-seventh District—Bullock (Rep.) 6520; Jones (Dem.-Pop.) 5747; Johnson (Pro.) 257; Bullock's plurality 1046.

Assemblies, Seventy-first District—Vossburg (Rep.) 2140; Cattner (Pop.) 1803; La Feta, 256; Seventy-second District—Kenyon (Rep.) 2000; Steele (Dem.-Pop.) 1849; Steele's plurality 153.

Seventy-second District—Melchett (Rep.) 3483; Sprague (Dem.-Pop.) 227; Hull, 278; Seventy-third District—McCollum (Rep.) 1857; Mead (Dem.) 2523; Yoakim, 105; Arnestine, 93; Seventy-fourth District—Valentine (Rep.) 4007; Price (Rep.) 3169; Schmitt, 53; Johnson, 173; Seventy-fifth District—Cross (Rep.) 2551; McDonnell (Dem.-Pop.) 2253; Williams, 59.

Supervisors, Second District—Wirsching (Rep.) 4395; Pessell (Dem.-Pop.) 3846; Little, 244; Lebrun, 85; Fourth District—Lebrun (Rep.) 207; Morgan (Dem.-Pop.) 2087; Schmitt, 55; Fifth District—Johnson (Rep.) 1924; Hanley (Dem.) 298; Johnson, 153; Leach, 71; Sterns, 329.

City Justices—Owens (Rep.) 9272; Morrison (Rep.) 9905; Morgan (Dem.-Pop.) 8160; Bartholomew (Dem.-Pop.) 9198.

**AMENDMENTS.**  
No. 38—Yes, 19,124; no, 5746.  
No. 39—Yes, 19,935; no, 4910.  
No. 19—Yes, 13,931; no, 7711.  
No. 25—Yes, 18,285; no, 5002.  
No. 13—Yes, 16,683; no, 4905.  
No. 11—Yes, 15,986; no, 12,400.

**LETTERS TO THE TIMES.**  
The Sorts of Women.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 13.—(To the Editor of The Times)—"Suffer not the women to dabble in the ballot-box. Wherefore of such do men greatly fear."

Such was the decree issued by the lords of creation, as they fired their last gun on the ballot of protection.

Or the smoke of that mighty contest may have blackened and charred the purity with which allotted to the gentler sex. Even the raged and abated end of the would-be silverites, fearing an overflow of the precious metal, deemed it necessary to curtail immigration somewhere. And the women, being on the side of the angels, bade them from the board and sunbath all on the altar of "free trade," sanctified by a crown of silver, when Bryan should ascend the throne.

But it is woman's duty to be patient under the heaviest of afflictions. What little she can do for her friends, and for those who are in need, she does with great self-sacrifice.

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HAT VALUES NOT TO PAY.

ST. LOUIS (Mo.) Nov. 13.—The Union Pacific, Denver and Gulf Railroad has filed an appeal in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals from the decision against it in the United States District Court of St. Louis, \$25,000 in favor of Henry Lowe. Lowe was injured in a wreck near Central City, Colo., in 1894. The wreck, it is alleged, was caused by an overloaded car.

## COMING BY BOAT.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 13.—The following passengers left on the steamer Santa Rosa for Port of New York yesterday: Mrs. L. Lambershermer, R. Trout, J. Lambershermer, Mrs. Smith and niece, Charles Spalding and wife, Mrs. Caldwell, F. Howell, M. Caldwell.

For Santa Barbara—W. Thomson, Mrs. L. H. Miss Spalding, Mrs. D. J. Brooks, J. E. Low, J. Holmes, Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. West, Miss Wolfson, Miss Glover, Mrs. Jackson, C. Pease.

For San Diego—Miss Bennett, Mrs. Benrott, W. W. Mrs. Howland, M. Adams, Mrs. Keane, Mrs. Wells, C. Parsons and wife, Mrs. Travant and wife, I. Anderson and wife.

## PERSONALS.

Thomas Fitzgerald of San José is at the Hollenbeck.

J. M. Wells is registered at the National Hotel, New York.

Mrs. K. M. Dillard is a Santa Barbara guest of the Nadeau.

G. S. MacKenzie is registered at the Westminster from Chicago.

A. Sparks registered at the National yesterday from San Diego.

C. T. Smurr and wife of San Francisco are staying at the Westminster.

William Hood, a railroad man of San Francisco, is registered at the Nadeau.

Nathan W. Blanchard registered at the Westminster yesterday from Santa Paula.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Osborne Plunkett are registered at the Hollenbeck from Vancouver, B. C.

C. F. Brooks and C. Thebaeus Spangler; J. B. Campbell and wife, St. Louis; George W. Mundie, Mendota, Ill.; I. Moreau, Santa Barbara; Mrs. A. T. Shear, Chico, are at the Hotel Ramona.

John C. Jewett, Buffalo; Mrs. E. Hyde, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Miss Hyde, Washington, D. C.; A. J. Simpson, Santa Paula; F. A. Snyder, Huachuca, are among recent arrivals at Hotel Baltimore.

B. D. Fillmore, Chicago; A. Conway, San Francisco; C. S. Howard, Boston; M. P. Green, San Diego; Ed Gandy, Portland, Or.; Charles A. Peal, San Bernardino, are registered at the National Hotel.

Elizabeth Battaglia, Illinois; L. H. Long, J. M. McCall, Stockton; A. C. McDonald, Tacoma; Theodore L. Cotter, G. H. Pierce, Mrs. P. Phillips, San Francisco, are registered at the Hoffman House.

Dr. and Mrs. Petre, New Jersey; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Buchanan, Belleville, Ill.; S. H. Wooster, United States Navy; L. Andrews, Springfield; Mrs. Wright and Miss L. G. Lovell, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. J. L. Gov and family, Seattle; B. Vercoe, London, Eng., are among the recent arrivals at Hotel Lincoln.

Reception to Dr. McLean.

A reception was given last night to Rev. Dr. C. C. McLean and wife by the members of Simpson Tabernacle in the event of their return to the church for another year.

Addresses of welcome were made by Dr. Becket, W. R. Bacon, Mrs. Alice Curtiss and Rev. Dr. Smithers. A musical programme added interest to the affair.

Encampment Anniversary.

The first anniversary of Enterprise encampment, No. 93, I.O.O.F., was celebrated last evening by a banquet at I. O. O. F. Hall and was attended by about 100 members of the organization and their friends.

The encampment was organized October 12, 1895, with seventy-five members, and it now has a membership of 125. At the conclusion of the banquet numerous toasts were responded to with Chief Patriarch D. D. DeMolay.

DeMolay by Past Chief Patriarch S. A. Bullfinch, Chief Patriarch G. W. Rushmore, Magnolia encampment; Patriarch W. A. Peabody of Magnolia encamp-

ment.

H. Burke, who was arrested yesterday morning for violating the hitching ordinance, was arraigned and his examination was set for today.

The trial of Francisco Rodriguez and two other Mexicans, charged with stealing hogs, was begun before Justice Morrison yesterday afternoon. The men have had a hearing on one charge and there are two other charges against them.

Fourth Ward Republicans.

A round meeting was held by the enthusiastic Republicans of the Fourth Ward in the tent at Pico and Pearl streets last night. A number of Republican nominees for city offices were present and declared their intentions in no unmeasured terms. Julius H. Martin, Republican nominee for Mayor, discussed the issue of municipal ownership of waterworks, declaring himself earnestly in its favor and pledging himself to do everything possible to secure the same for the people's desire, and that if the present system could not be bought for a reasonable price, he would do everything possible toward building a new system. Mr. Martin showed that he has no connection or obligation toward the Magnolia encampment, and stated that during the late harrowing excitement he signed the petition for San Pedro Harbor and did not sign the Santa Monica petition, although some years ago he worked as a clerk for the railroad company.

Meetings will be held each Tuesday and Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

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## THE NORNA.

## CRUISE OF THE SNOW-WHITE SCHOONER-YACHT AROUND THE WORLD.

Outline of Her Remarkable Voyage—How She is Equipped, Whom She Carries, Where She Will Go and What She Will Do—Her Voyage Will Be Written for the Los Angeles Times.

## Before the Start.

(From the New York Sun) Passengers yesterday noticed a trim-looking schooner yacht anchored in the Hudson close to the Hoboken shore off the foot of West Thirty-fourth street. The boat, which is the schooner yacht Norna, is about to start on a cruise around the world. She is going to visit all sorts of out-of-the-way places, and her crew, that is, the intellectual portion of it, will write their experiences incidentally as they go to try and secure photographs, curios, arms and the costumes of the various tribes and peoples they encounter.

The Norna, though built in 1879, was almost entirely rebuilt for this cruise, and is very well suited for the purpose. She is a keel boat, 115 feet long, 23 feet 6 inches beam, draws 14 feet 4 inches and measures about 100 tons. She was designed by A. Cary Smith, and is a fine sea boat, though apparently over-spiced for her long voyage. The yacht will sail on Wednesday, and will touch at Charleston and Jacksonville, when the cruise proper will actually commence. From Jacksonville the Norna will go to the Bermudas and Azores, thence to Cadiz and Tangier. She will then go through the Straits of Gibraltar to the Mediterranean, touching at the Balearic Islands, Corsica and Sardinia. The Adriatic Sea will next be visited, and the Norna will cruise around the coast of Greece to the Aegean Sea, Turkey, the Bosporus, the Black Sea, Southern Russia, Asia Minor, Egypt, Tunis, Algeria, the North Sea, Denmark, Iceland, Norway, Sweden, the Netherlands, South Africa, the Cape of Good Hope, Madagascar, the Indian Ocean, the Gulf of Aden, the Arabian Sea, Ceylon, Sumatra, Java, Australia, the South Sea Islands, China, Japan and about every other place on the habited globe.

The Norna, in addition to her crew of sixteen men, will carry Harry P. Taber of Buffalo, N. J. Weaver, Dr. T. A. Worrall, A. H. Danforth, Jr., and a photographer. Two rapid-fire Hotchkiss guns and a plentiful supply of rifles will also be carried in her stores in case of need.

**The Snow-white Craft.** (From the Baltimore Sun) Tugging at her restraining fetters on the spiteful currents of the hurrying Hudson, there sits a snow-white craft, long of hull, bony of spine, deep in her hold, upon the natural elements. So slender is she that she seems half snake, and yet as she moves impatiently with the ebb and flow of the varying tides she seems like some giant of the wreak, ready to unfold her wonderful wings and soar far, far away over the unknown seas.

And this is the frontispiece to a story of romance and adventure, of travel and study; truly a picture of the sea that might fittingly be entitled "The Cruise of Norna," for if you follow the stern the single golden band that circles the trim craft's spotless hulls you will read there "Norna, New York."

**Workers of the Town.** The writer of the letters will be Harry Persons Taber, an accomplished, popular and experienced newspaper man and a brilliant writer, who has some fame as well for odd and tasteful creations in the mechanical and artistic work of making fine books.

**Collection of Curiosities.** The scientist of the Norna expedition, and the ship's surgeon, as well, is Dr. Theodore A. Worrall, who for twenty-six years has practiced medicine in Northeast Germany. Dr. Worrall is a native of Russellville, Pa. He enlisted in the army at the age of 16, and after the civil war spent ten years whaling in the polar regions. Upon his return he was educated for the profession at the University of Pennsylvania. After graduation he married the daughter of Judge Thomas on Northeast, and has practiced in that town ever since.

Dr. Worrall will collect on the trip every specimen which can be found to exemplify natural, zoological and mineral conditions which are to be visited. He says he expects to bring back the greatest collection of curiosities that has ever been gathered.

These will be a valuable supplement to the general natural history writings of Mr. Taber, who will make himself expert in Africa, Asia, Australia, Africa or pirates or Ruthless Indian-hunters! What boy wouldn't give up all the miscellaneous treasures of his pockets and his playroom to go on the Norna? And when he has kissed his yellow dog good-by and drop quietly over the back-yard fence by night to have a chance like this? The Norna is going to have a cabin boy, too.

**Where She Will Go.** It is not known exactly where the Norna will go. She will leave, at any rate, the beaten lines of travel. Briefly stated, the general intention is to skirt the United States coast, touching at Baltimore, Charleston and Jacksonville, then go to the Bermudas, the Azores, Spain, Sicily, the Mediterranean, the northern coast, touching at points of which there is little general knowledge, and visiting islands in the historic associations.

The Black Sea and the Sea of Azov will be penetrated to the Caucasus, and voyages will be made up the rivers which flow south from the Russian territory, including the Dnieper and Don, and the explorers will try to enter the great sea of that region.

Following the Black Sea Minor and coming westward again, but clinging to the north coast of Africa until the Atlantic Ocean is reached, the party is to pass swiftly over the well-known routes of Africa and proceed northward to the British Isles which are far out of the way of ordinary travel. The yacht will, perhaps, visit the North Sea, following the Danish and Swedish coast, and, timing her visit to the summer season, will cross the route Orkney, Scotland, and again run to the south, following the west coast of Africa, penetrating the interior and paying special attention to explorations of the Congo and other rivers. Southward again, the lands above the Cape of Good Hope, made famous by Dr. Jameson, will be followed, and the eastern coast of Africa will be doubled and the eastern coast of Africa will be followed by the shores of India.

The Norna is to take in Ceylon, Siam, Southern Java, Borneo, Australia, Tasmania, New Zealand, China, Corea, Japan, the Russian frontier, Alaska, the west coast of the United States and South America down to and around Cape Horn, up to the West Indies, and so on to home again.

The Norna is beautiful in new paint and interior decorations. She is 115 over all, 40 feet beam, measurement 14 feet 4 inches, and is of 100 tons displacement. The commodore's and the main cabin are painted in cream white, her brass finishings as bright as mirrors, and all her trimmings and hatches of dark hardwood glisten in their jackets of bright var-

nish. There is a piano aboard, and Historian Taber's cozy quarters, with its typewriter and library of reference, is a miniature editorial-room.

The yacht will probably carry a crew consisting of a captain, two mates and six or eight sailors, steward and the cook, and a cabin boy. She is provided at present with a naphtha launch, captain's gig and steward's boat, and another power launch may be added.

S. C. A.

**Our Voyage!** (From the Hartford Courant)

From the most remarkable stories in fiction relate to travel and adventure. We can all remember how they stimulated our imaginations in youth, and as older folks we never lose an interest in them. That the tales were fiction was, perhaps, out only regret.

In another column the coming cruise of the Norna is plotted, and the party on board ought to make the most interesting reading. What more enticing than a cruise to distant and almost unknown lands—explorers and discoverers every hour; every hour enjoying the pleasure of new scenes, of all kinds to read, and best of all, every word, be true.

We shall follow the Norna's fortunes—whether she be skirting the land of the Vikings, touching the shores of the great White Czar, or the island kingdom that Robert Louis Stevenson made so peculiarly his own—with the keenest interest. Bon voyage to the Norna!

**For Times Readers.**

The first of the series of weekly letters describing the fascinating voyage of the Norna will appear in the Los Angeles Times tomorrow, Sunday, November 15. The others will follow more or less regularly.

**THE NEW CHARTER.**

**Some of the Provisions are Distasteful to the Politicians.**

Although the special election on charter revision is two months distant, active opposition to some of the proposed changes is already manifesting itself. Most of this opposition comes from chronic office-seekers and professional politicians. The gentry commonly designated "the push" do not relish the prospect of any change in the city charter that will keep them from the public crib and decrease the opportunities for boulding.

The League for Better City Government answers some of the objections raised to the new charter, as follows:

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## Crops and Markets.

The demand for dried fruit of all descriptions has been very steady during the past week. The outlook for growers continues to improve. Stocks of all kinds of dried fruit in Southern California are light, and dealers are beginning to realize that they are likely to have to pay considerably higher prices before long. At the same time, reports from foreign producing countries state that the supplies there as a rule are much shorter than usual. Then, again, the amount carried over from 1885 is small. Everything, therefore, points to a much better market for this line of produce than has prevailed for several years.

The fresh fruit market offers less variety, as winter approaches. Oranges will soon be in the market, several carloads having already been shipped to the East. The crop will not be very large one, considering the large number of young orchards that have come into bearing, but the quality promises to be excellent.

Hay has been very firm during the week. Eggs are in good demand, but the high price has kept down consumption. Butter has been weak.

## Wide Tires and Good Roads.

It is encouraging to note that farmers in this State are beginning to take considerable interest in legislative matters. There are a number of laws that are badly needed by the farmers of California. Among others are laws which will provide for good roads, and thus save the farmers a vast amount of money now needlessly expended for hauling loads over poor dirt roads.

In connection with this subject, it has been suggested that a State law requiring the use of wide tires on wheels is badly needed. Should the regulation of the width of tires be left to the various boards of supervisors, there will be no uniformity, and in some cases no action will be taken at all. For this reason it is believed by those who have looked into the matter that the only practicable method is for the State Legislature to pass a law providing for the use of wide tires on all vehicles, such as prevails in France and other European countries. It is suggested that in the case of buggies no tires should be narrower than two inches.

Such a regulation as this would do much to keep the roads from being torn up and destroyed.

## The Farmers' Credit.

In an interesting article on the condition of the farming classes, the American Agriculturist declares that the pessimists, the ignorant and the calamity-shakers who are fond of prating about the poverty of the farming community, and some agricultural journals not consonant with the facts who have assisted in spreading the idea, have done their utmost to destroy the farmers' credit. The Journal referred to says that, as a matter of fact, while many farmers have been in distress, yet, taking the farming people as a whole, it is safe to say that the farmers have passed through the years of depression better than any other body in the country.

Today, it says, farmers owe less than those in any other business. Some mortgage companies have failed that did an extensive business, especially in the semi-arid regions, where agriculture is yet in an experimental stage, but the records of well-managed concerns in this line of business, in the Central West and Northwest, show that farmers' interests is being promptly met, and the principal of many mortgages reduced or paid in full. The number of farms owned free of debt in the South shows remarkable gains. In the Middle and Eastern States farmers have maintained their good credit in the face of keen western competition. Contrast this, it adds, with the record of failures among merchants, manufacturers and railroads. The 161 railroads that have gone into receivers' hands in the last three and a half years were mortgaged on the farms in the United States. Probably the actual loss on investments in railroad mortgages in the past six years has exceeded the amount of all the farm mortgages in the country. The judgment of the journal mentioned is that, taking the country as a whole, 25 per cent. of the loans on farms during the past twenty-five years have either been paid in full or are to-day worth 100 cents on the dollar.

The journal quoted declares its belief that it is its duty to make these truths plain to the masses in other occupations. It suggests that instead of pushing collections among farmers, instead of calling in loans, instead of marking up interest rates, political, industrial and social conditions justify a liberal financial policy with all engaged in agriculture, and that the indications are that in the early future the new beet-sugar industry will offer a most attractive field for the investment of the people's savings, yielding a fair dividend on capital, besides (what is more important to general prosperity) distributing among our farmers and laborers the \$100,000,000 now sent abroad annually for imported sugar. In heart, it declares, is stirred with sympathy for such farmers as are really afflicted, but it says that their ills are not to be cured by lying about other farmers or by loudly declaring that all farmers are bankrupt. Without in the slightest degree trying to cover up any of the evils of agricultural depression, it enters a solemn protest against the great wrong that has been done the farmers by the irrepressible calamity-howler. It solemnly maintains that the farmer's whole history demonstrates his desire and his ability to pay his just debts. Railroad "receivers," corporation-wreckers and "trust" promoters have made an unenviable record as repudiators, but the vast majority of farmers have, can or will pay 100 cents on the dollar. More capital, it declares, is the crying need of many farmers, and it is to be obtained on reasonable terms by proving the farmers' credit, which, it declares, it alone among agricultural papers has taken pains to defend and maintain.

at his peril. When the American farmer becomes more thoroughly imbued with this idea, we shall perhaps hear less about the distress of the agricultural classes."

## The Steaming Process.

C. L. Marlatt, First Assistant Entomologist of the Department of Agriculture, visited the ranch of Dr. S. W. Woodbridge at South Pasadena a few days ago, for the purpose of inspecting the doctor's steaming process, to which reference has been made in The Times. Several hours were spent at the ranch inspecting the trees that had been sprayed and steamed, the process of steaming, and bug hunting. Mr. Marlatt said that 99 per cent., if not all the scale, had been killed by the steaming process. The operation is performed with and without tents.

## A Reward of Careful Picking.

A New York journal states that Queen Victoria procures her apples supply from Western New York. She was first captivated by some choice Spitzbergen, which were handsomely packed. The proprietor of the orchard who sends the apples to Her Majesty personally attends to the selection and out of every 100 fruits grown seventy are rejected.

## Age of Trees.

Perhaps the most reliable information respecting the age of trees is found in the report of the German Forestry Commission, published some years ago. This assigns to the pine an age of 500 to 700 years as a maximum; 25 to the silver fir; 275 years to the larch, 245 years to the red beech, 210 years to the aspen, 200 years to the birch, 173 years to the ash, 145 years to the alder, and 130 years to the elm.

## The Australian Salt Bush.

Some time ago much was said in the agricultural press about a remarkable new fodder plant known as the Australian salt bush. Of late not so much has been heard on the subject. A Kern county paper, the Delano Courier, has the following regarding the satisfactory experience of a settler in that neighborhood with the plant:

"Patrick J. Garwood residing in the country to the southward is an enthusiastic admirer of the Australian salt bush, the new forage plant recently introduced into this State. He has experienced for the past year, he has proven to his entire satisfaction that the plant will not only grow on the dry plains without irrigation, but on alkali soil as well. He has a patch of a half acre or more. He gathered a considerable amount of seed from the crop that you could leave some for sale at the Pioneer drug store. He says stock takes to the new plant like a duck to water, and that the yield per acre is something immense. He is confident that it is a grand plant for the interior and that when its merits are better known it will be planted extensively."

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The journal quoted declares its belief that it is its duty to make these truths plain to the masses in other occupations. It suggests that instead of pushing collections among farmers, instead of calling in loans, instead of marking up interest rates, political, industrial and social conditions justify a liberal financial policy with all engaged in agriculture, and that the indications are that in the early future the new beet-sugar industry will offer a most attractive field for the investment of the people's savings, yielding a fair dividend on capital, besides (what is more important to general prosperity) distributing among our farmers and laborers the \$100,000,000 now sent abroad annually for imported sugar. In heart, it declares, is stirred with sympathy for such farmers as are really afflicted, but it says that their ills are not to be cured by lying about other farmers or by loudly declaring that all farmers are bankrupt. Without in the slightest degree trying to cover up any of the evils of agricultural depression, it enters a solemn protest against the great wrong that has been done the farmers by the irrepressible calamity-howler. It solemnly maintains that the farmer's whole history demonstrates his desire and his ability to pay his just debts. Railroad "receivers," corporation-wreckers and "trust" promoters have made an unenviable record as repudiators, but the vast majority of farmers have, can or will pay 100 cents on the dollar. More capital, it declares, is the crying need of many farmers, and it is to be obtained on reasonable terms by proving the farmers' credit, which, it declares, it alone among agricultural papers has taken pains to defend and maintain.

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Milk is sure to absorb any odors with which it is brought in contact. Cream and butter having a greater proportion of fats absorb odors even more quickly than will milk. This emphasizes the necessity of keeping both milk, cream and butter out of reach of foul odors of any kind. This can hardly be done while the milk is kept where the odor of cooking vegetables of all kinds can reach it. Almost any kind of odor from cooking, when combined with butter fats, soon becomes exceedingly offensive, as in the fat the character of the odor is greatly changed.

"It is unpleasant to be constantly sounding alarms and predicting calamities. No gift of prophecy is needed to foretell the ruin which will follow if the desolation of the forests of the Appalachian region from Quebec to Alabama goes on for the next twenty-five years as it has done. And who can estimate the desolation which will ensue if the floods are let loose from the Columbia, the Sacramento and the San Joaquin, or who can imagine the extent of the inland sea that will roll over the Mississippi Valley when the water barriers are removed from the eastern shores of the great continental water system in the central North? Common prudence ought to arouse the Legislatures of the various States and of the nation to face this problem now, which is of more vital importance to the life of the republic than the question of tariff or of currency."

## Farmers Should Study Markets.

Unfortunately for the farming community of the United States, the great rise in the value of wheat has not benefited them so much as might have been expected and hoped. Much of the wheat of the country had passed out of their possession before the rise. On this subject, the United States Investor recently had the following truthful remarks:

"The surprising thing to us is that more of our farmers were not quick to arrive at the same conclusion. We have seen an illustration of the kind of skill and management successful agriculturists today. Speaking no longer of the American farmer, we say: 'His gain and loss are dependent to a very great extent, upon events in remote quarters of the world. Consequently the farmer who in these days of intense competition, expects to make any money, has got to be a person of no light caliber.' If our farmers could six months ago satisfy themselves that the fall season would, in all probability, bring higher prices, the ordinary agriculturist should have been alive to the possibilities of the situation."

"The farmers are today no doubt reaping a substantial benefit from the increase in wheat, but unquestionably only a small portion of them are obtaining all the profit from the movement which might have been theirs. It is among the more advanced of the modern farmer to study markets as to study climate. He neglects this task

at his peril. When the American farmer becomes more thoroughly imbued with this idea, we shall perhaps hear less about the distress of the agricultural classes."

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## PASADENA.

### DISINCORPORATION DEFEATED IN SOUTH PASADENA.

Possible Competitor for the Electric Road—Versatile Swindler Who is Badly Wanted—New Club—Character Amendments.

PASADENA, Nov. 13.—(Regular Correspondence.) An election on the question of disincorporation was held in South Pasadena today (Friday), and the interest in the matter was so general that the vote was but two less than the vote at the general election. The registration of the town is 226, and 198 votes were cast. Disincorporation was defeated by a vote of 136 against 60 in favor of the plan. This is considered a victory for the progressive, go-ahead element, and South Pasadena will go on her way citizen hopeful and rejoicing.

RIVAL FOR THE ELECTRIC ROAD.

It is stated upon good authority that a company stands ready to build an electric road over that portion of the city included in the franchise of the Pasadena and Pacific electric road, and continue it into Los Angeles. Under those conditions, unless the electric company will agree to pay into the treasury a proportion of its earnings, it will be applied to the street fund, and thus relieve the taxpayers in that degree, there is a sentiment that they should not be granted an extension of time. Throughout the hard times the road has made large earnings, and it is claimed by those in a position to know that it has been abundantly able to carry out the terms of its franchise and build its road. The people of the northeastern part of town feel that they should have transit facilities, and that the City Council should aid them in securing them, and not permit the electric company to use its own pleasure in complying with the terms of its franchise, meanwhile keeping out those competitors who would build the road and accommodate the people. The Council will be asked, in a few weeks, to extend the franchise, and it is said that unless a protest is made that body will permit the company a year's time to electrify its road.

INTERESTING TO THE GIRLS.

Pasadena's latest club is a Mutual Marriage Association, composed of a number of young men who pay a yearly fee of \$10, which is to be applied to fitting out one of their number each year for matrimony. The announcement of this association has caused quite a flurry among the "bachelor" maidsmen, and it is stated that there are already plans for a female organization among them. The fact that only one of the young men is supposed to launch into the matrimonial sea yearly is rather disheartening to the girls, as the list is composed of some of the most eligible young men. It is darkly suspected that the new association is a sort of "union," and has been formed for protection against the wiles of the fair sex.

A VERSATILE SWINDLER.

The man who worked the photographic swindle has not made his appearance again in town, although he is badly wanted. He is in urgent request at the Los Angeles House, where he applies for board, and has taken and took three meals, then disappeared. The proprietors, who should the fellow appear, will see to it that he gets thirty days' free board, at least, in the County Jail for violation of the law for the protection of hotelkeepers. He is also wanted at the Pasadena Park, where he attempted to work an insurance swindle, and he is thought to be the same man who attempted to secure a horse and buggy "on trial." The marshal has been looking for him today, to make a "special holiday offer," and if he turns up in Pasadena again, he will be given a warm reception.

CHARTER AMENDMENTS.

The meeting of citizens to discuss the amendments to the city charter has been called for Monday night. It is proposed to call a half in the matter of fund-transferring. There is no other means of securing funds for the uses of the various departments of the city, but this measure is not legal and might cause trouble. An amendment, or a new charter, would permit the direct application of a certain larger percentage of the taxes to special purposes than is admissible, without transferring. The citizens are urged to come out to the meeting and give the public the benefit of their views, and it is pretty well decided that a charter which was made to fit Pasadena when it was a village is now outgrown, and should be cast aside.

PASADENA RAILROAD.

The old railroad track on East Colorado street has been removed to make way for the grading and other improvements to be placed upon the street. It is naturally supplied by the property owners that the expense of the removal will be assessed to the street and the railroads to have been abandoned their franchise along East Colorado, and are under obligations to keep the street in as good repair as other owners of property. If the bill for the removal of the railway is included in the "extras" on the street work, there will be some vigorous protesting done.

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C. D. Durand and family returned today from Chicago and will spend the winter in Pasadena, as usual.

The Board of Trustees of the Universal State Convention and of the Woman's Association of the same body

met in convention in Pasadena November 10, and were afterward entertained by Mrs. Manafort, on Grand avenue. The work for the coming year has been arranged.

Dr. Norman Bridge has returned from Europe and will leave Chicago for Pasadena November 18. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Bridge and J. C. Bush, president of the Continental Bank of Chicago, who will spend the winter here.

R. W. Rowland condemned on Thursday two cows belonging to some campers who were on their way to San Bernardino county. The animals were afflicted with tuberculosis and were killed and buried.

There were installation ceremonies this evening of the Amaranth Order, the new Masonic body here composed of ladies who are members of Masonic families.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Conner of North Fair Oaks avenue, North Pasadena, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a twelve-pound son, who arrived in town today.

Dr. and Mrs. Laird of North Summit avenue entertained about seventy-five members of the United Presbyterian Church at a social Thursday evening. Throop Institute has been presented with a stereopticon and a set of slides that will be of great value in class work.

Hawley, King & Co., carriages, harness and bicycles, corner Broadway and Fifth street, Los Angeles. Passers pass our corner. James Smith & Sons of Pasadena, opposite postoffice, carry some of our vehicles in stock.

ANAHUAC.

ANAHEIM, Nov. 13.—(Regular Correspondence.) The ratification so long looked forward to by old and young came off on Thursday night and was the event of the season. A great crowd poured into the town from far and near, and entered into the spirit of the occasion with the greatest enthusiasm, and while the health of the President-elect was liberally quaffed by the men of the town, the women, in their bunche tops are so close together that it is impossible to peer through them and their fragrance is exhaled only by the orange blossom.

The crop is planted from the middle of June to the middle of September, and the blossoms now will remain until after the holidays. The plants are set in a trench only about six inches apart, and the labor is performed by men on bended knees. From that time the cultivation of the product is looked after by the grower, and about ten days before the crop is to be harvested the product is banked either with dirt or boards, or both, so that it may bleach. Then it is cut and bunched in dozen bunches, when it is ready for the market.

Many of the oranges have been sold at \$100,000. There are at the present time several men of means interested in the cultivation of this product, but

Speculation is the name, and to whom belongs the honor of demonstrating what could be done in developing the industry. Other prominent growers are A. D. Barling and J. B. Morrison.

BOLD, BAD TRAMPS.

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LOS ALAMITOS.

LOS ALAMITOS, Nov. 12.—(Special Correspondence.) Two daily trains each way are now running on this branch line between here and Anaheim. Stage Agent Badger, formerly at Indio, has been transferred here to take charge of this station.

The Southern Pacific Company is putting down a six-inch arcanas well for their engines, the stakes are set for a new combination freight and passenger depot, and the turn-table is nearly done.

The concrete foundation of the sugar factory will be completed early next month, ready to receive the twenty-five carloads of machinery now on the way from the East, which will be put in place as fast as possible.

The telegraph line was completed in season to receive the election returns.

The new hotel is completed, and is now accommodating the large force of men employed in the construction of the factory.

Grafe is being hauled from near McPherson over the Southern Pacific Railroad to the site of the new factory on the same ranch to be used in the construction of the new factory.

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The annual meeting of the stockholders of the San Antonio Water Company will be held in the Workmen's Hall next Monday afternoon. The chief business to come before the meeting is the election of directors for the ensuing year.

The final meeting of the Republican committee was held last evening. All the bills were audited and ordered paid, and the business of the campaign settled.

The following transfers of realty are reported: A. E. and Edith McDonald to Delta; Mattie, lot 167, and water lot; Jenette L. Hatch to Lydia A. Young, lot 713 and water stock.

The fruit shipments for the week ending November 7 were as follows:

Lemons, 974 boxes; green fruit, 1457 pounds; dried fruit, 25,667 pounds.

The Chaffey College McKinley Club tendered the followers of Bryan at the college a reception.

REDLANDS.

REDDLANDS, Nov. 13.—(Regular Correspondence.) The Trustees have decided to at once finish the city's portion of the work of building the road between Redlands and Highland, which has been under discussion for years.

The Street Superintendent has been instructed to begin work at once. The county now has a force of men at work upon its portion of the road, and at last it seems that the project is about to materialize.

The Ladies of Unity Church will give an informal dance at the new ware house of the Redlands Commercial Company on Thursday evening, November 17.

Ernest McClung, brakeman on the Southern Pacific, between Redlands and Los Angeles, returned home Thursday evening, accompanied by a bride, Miss Lulu A. Griffin, who had come from the East alone, having met at Bakersfield by Mr. McClung. The wedding took place Tuesday in Los Angeles.

REDWOOD CITY BREVIETIES.

Charles Bush is now acting as sashero in the place of J. Wiley Harris, until the board of directors appoint Mr. Harris's successor. Mr. Harris has gone to the Preston Industrial School, where he will have charge of the band and the vocal division of the pupils of the school. Mrs. Harris will join him shortly.

D. G. McClay of Santa Ana has so far this season sold six and one-half tons of walnuts from a young orchard of twenty-five acres, bringing him in over \$1000, and his prospects are increasing.

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HOW UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA STUDENTS ENJOY THEMSELVES.

The Sophomores Steal the Freshmen's Lemonade—A Willy Trick That Was Foiled—Thanksgiving Day—The Junior Promenade. Class Jollification.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.) BERKELEY, Nov. 11.—Winter has come. The campus and the hills are green once more, and the streams running, and people feel correspondingly happy and vigorous.

This is the season when glees and hops and junior days are in order, as a recreation from long dwelling in learned tomes or toiling in the laboratory.

One of the first of these yearly events was the Skull and Keys running. The skull and keys organization, a good many years ago, after the same plan as the Skull and Bones of Harvard, and similar societies in eastern colleges. Primarily and ostensibly, it is a dramatic club; its membership is restricted to juniors and seniors, and only members of college fraternities are admitted to its ranks. Every winter it produces several plays.

The most interesting thing about it is its initiation or "jollification." One morning the students discovered that certain junior girls were wandering about college clad in white duck trousers and tennis shoes, each wearing the sacred junior "plug"—a gray stiff hat, mashed all out of shape, and adorned with beautiful paintings of battle scenes, landscapes, Greek letters, etc.—and each one wearing a ribbon around his right arm, with a metal clasp bearing skull and keys. These individuals were the initiates. The injunction laid upon them was that they should on the ensuing day they should speak to no living soul except each other. When evening came, the whole crew assembled near North Hall, and thence ran down to the football field in Indian file, the long rows of hats and caps looking like a procession of picturesque effect. They all sat down in a row on the baseball bleacher, and from their perch watched the football practice, enlivening the proceedings with frequent college yell.

The whole affair was much less amusing than the Skull and Keys initiations of past years. One time two candidates were made to play marbles together in front of North Hall at noontime, when the streams of students passing along the dormitory steps. Another time young men spent the whole day fishing with a pin for a hook, from a much-frequented bridge which crosses Strawberry Creek—empty of fishes except for waterfowl and occasional "skaters." Once an initiate, a leader, would appear in a dress suit at football practice and usher the coeds to seats on the bleachers. Another young man had to peddle "War Cries," another worked a handorgan and collected pennies and a third had to drag a little pony horse wherever he went all day long.

Last Friday evening occurred the Freshman Glee. There are always four class dances every year. They are all of the same kind, but the freshman jollification is called a "hop," the sophomore dance a "hop," the junior dance a "promenade," and last and swellest is the "selvon ball."

The glee was held, as is the case with all these affairs, in the university gymnasium, large, airy and comfortable. It was prettily decorated with flowers, green leaves and blue and gold draperies, and there was a goodly crowd of freshmen and their guests, the juniors. There was one incident, however—the sophomore stole the lemonade before the glee had fairly begun, a crowd of sophomores assembled and went marching up and down the streets of Berkeley, yelling loud and long, and singing their beloved song, "The Jolly Sophomore." This mischievous gymnasium, crept in at the rear, seized the lemonade and made off as fast as they could go. There were only a few freshmen on hand to protect the beverage, people don't care to "rush" in their Sunday-go-to-meeting clothes, so the sophomores met with practically no resistance.

But the way of the transgressor is hard. The night was dark, the sophomores were very much excited and the man who carried the lemonade and勘-splash into Strawberry Creek, showered lemonade all over the neighborhood, smashed the punch-bowl into fragments, and got his feet wet.

The sophomore tried to work another trick on the freshmen, but in this they were beautifully foiled.

The dance programmes were printed in the city. Wilbur, the floor manager, went for them, just before the glee, and they were told to return in an hour and they would be ready for him. While he was gone, two sophomores entered the printing establishment and announced that they had been sent for the programmes. They received the same answer—to return in an hour. When Wilbur reappeared, he was told off with the words, "The wily youth concocted a scheme. He asked for two new, clean, attractive-looking books. He filled them with sawdust, covered them neatly with tissue paper, closed the lids and wrapped the boxes up. Then he lay in wait behind the door. The sophomores came again, and asked if the programmes were ready. "Yes," said the printer, "but we were sent by the floor manager?" "Oh, yes! That's all right," replied the two lads. So the printer presented them with two boxes of sawdust, and they went upon their way, nearly exploding with repressed glee. Then, with a seraphic smile, the freshman took up the programmes and departed.

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HIGHLAND IS BOOMING.

Just now some excellent reports are coming in from Highland, where about a dozen residences are in course of erection. The prosperity of that settlement has been increasing from year to year, and while it has never been expected that the place would become a city, it promises to develop into a good-sized town.

NARROW ESCAPE.

About 7 o'clock Friday evening, Miss Mabel Meredith and her mother had a narrow escape from severe injury by fire. Mrs. Meredith had been in such a way that a pair of lace curtains caught fire. She instantly pulled them down, and in falling they fell upon her mother, setting her clothes on fire. She then ran to the door, threw the curtains into the street, but meanwhile set fire to her own bathrobe. Both ladies succeeded in extinguishing the fire on their clothing. Mrs. Meredith losing her eyebrows, but not being seriously burned. The daughter escaped unharmed.

Another dramatic event will take place before long. The Junior-day celebration is always one of the events of the university year. Upon that day the Juniors always present an original farce. This year the farce is "A Black Colt," the work of Walter Starr, '98. It will be presented in the MacDonough Theater in Oakland. Already an actor has been engaged as a coach, and rehearsals have begun. On the evening of Junior day, occurs the junior promenade.

And this is how the University of California students mix a little fun with their work.

VICTOR H. HENDERSON.

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY.

A Great Ratification on Saturday. Mount McKinley.

SAN BERNARDINO, NOV. 13.—(Regular Correspondence.) The last echo of the campaign Saturday evening will be an interesting portion of the victory speech of Mr. Harrison. That thousands of people will be in attendance is assured. Five-minute speeches will be made by W. C.

## Our Entire Business is Under the Spell

Of moving prices Today. It is "THE CHANCE OF A YEAR," we think the chance of many years, to buy at rightly Low Prices Today. We have visited every department in our mammoth establishment and received from them their contributions to our regular weekly

## Saturday Special Bargain Sale,

And at no sale ever held before this one, have such Exceedingly Low Prices been tacked on to such Very Excellent Merchandise. Your first thought should be to Get Just What You Want. Your second, to obtain it at the least possible expense.

WE CAN HELP YOU IN BOTH

That's What We're Here For.

JACOBY BROS.

Men's \$10.00 Suits for \$5.32.

Black all-wool Diagonal Cheviot Sack Suits, in round and straight cut, single-breasted; all sizes: guaranteed \$10.00 values; Our Special Sale Price Today ..... \$5.32

Men's \$12.50 Dress Suits for \$7.63.

Single-breasted round and square cut, and double-breasted straight cut Sack and three button Cutaway Frock Suits of a magnificent quality of black diagonal Cheviot. Worth and regularly sold for \$12.50 the suit; Our Special Sale Price Today ..... \$7.63

Men's \$15.00 Dress Suits for \$9.17.

Extra heavy quality of genuine Imported black Clay Worsted, your choice of any of the following swell styles: Single-breasted round and square cut and 3-button cutaway Frocks in all sizes from 33 to 44; guaranteed \$15.00 values; Our Special Sale Price Today ..... \$9.17

Men's \$6.00 Overcoats for \$2.59.

These are not the kind that we care to boast about, being Satinettes, and anxious to close them out; we have most all sizes up to 40; Our Special Sale Price Today ..... \$2.59

Men's \$15.00 Overcoats for \$7.89.

Not a handsomer line shown at \$15.00 in Los Angeles today, a heavy quality of heavy brown Beaver, handsome velvet collar and magnificently finished; Our Special Sale Price Today ..... \$7.89

Only one will be sold to a single customer.

Young Men's \$10.00 Suits for \$5.05.

Very swell single-breasted round and double-breasted square cut Sack Suits of extra heavy fancy mixed Scotch Worsted, and cashmere, and leather, all for less than \$10.00; Our Special Sale Price Today ..... \$5.05

Only one will be sold to a single customer.

Young Men's \$12.50 Suits for \$6.06.

For the business or dressy young man, nobby four button cutaway Sack Suits of extra heavy fancy mixed Scotch Worsted, and cashmere, and leather, all for less than \$12.50; Our Special Sale Price Today ..... \$6.06

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Boys' Novelty \$5.00 Suits for \$2.85.

Double Breasted Knee Pants Suits for boys up to 15 years, of gray and black woolly Boucle Mixtures, nowhere such like seen; these are less than \$5.00; Our Special Sale Price Today ..... \$2.85

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Boys' \$3.00 School Suits for \$1.85.

Double-breasted Knee Pants Suits for boys up to 15 years, of gray and black woolly Boucle Mixtures, nowhere such like seen; these are less than \$3.00; Our Special Sale Price Today ..... \$1.85

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Fancy \$5.00 Reefer Suits for \$2.66.

For little lads 3 to 8 years old; very handsome fancy Scotch Cheviots, large sailor collar, fuzzy cuffs, handsomely trimmed with silk braid; Our Special Sale Price Today ..... \$2.66

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Men's \$2.00 Hats for 95c.

Guaranteed hand-made soft dress Hats in the most popular blocks and styles of the season in black, chocolate and silver gray with silk bands and binding and various dimensions of brim; sizes 6 1/2 to 7 1/2 inches; guaranteed \$2.00 values; Our Special Sale Price Today ..... 95c

Only one will be sold to a single customer.

Men's 50c Caps for 28c.

A large assortment of colors and mixtures in rough and smooth, plain and ribbed, Cashmere and Cheviot, in a guaranteed \$0.25 value of men's Gob, Bike, and College Caps; Reduced for Today's Special Sale to ..... 28c

Only one will be sold to a single customer.

Men's 10c Socks for 3c.

Substantial well made Men's Cotton Socks in gray mixtures, with a bundle of 12 pairs, and they're yours to keep; Our Special Sale Price Today ..... 3c

We'll sell a bundle of one dozen only to a single customer.

\$s for 1/2 \$s in Men's Hosiery.

Guaranteed absolutely fast stainless and seamless heavy Cotton Half Hose, blacks and assorted tans. A half dozen pairs neatly boxed, sold regularly at 30c per pair; Our Special Sale Price Today ..... 61c

Only one box will be sold to a single customer.

Men's 25c Handkerchiefs for 8 1/2 c.

Men's Unlandered Linen Hand-embroidered Initial Hem-stitched Handkerchiefs. It will pay to buy today and lay aside for Christmas gift giving; Today's Special Sale Price ..... 8 1/2 c

Only six will be sold to a single customer.

50c Golf Caps for 28c.

Boys' serviceable Skull and Gold Caps in an endless assortment of colors and mixtures in all-wool Cassimere, Tweeds, Cheviots, and English Corduroys; Reduced for Today's Special Sale to ..... 26c

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